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Sherman.

There is little additional and nothing positively certain to add to the intelligence of yesterday concerning the movements of SHERMAN. There is no reason to doubt, however, that he either has or will conduct his entire army to the coast, without material loss.

BRAGG sends a dispatch to DAVIS that he has defeated the force sent by FOSTER to co-operate with SHERMAN from Port Royal, but as FOSTER has since been heard from and was all right, little importance is attached to BRAGG's dispatch, or to the hopes expressed by the rebel papers of being able to cut off SHERMAN before reaching the coast.

In the absence of particulars we consider it certain that SHERMAN has gone through in spite of everything, and that he will soon be in a position to enter on the important operations of which his great march was the precursor. Such certainly is the belief in Washington.

The Situation in Tennessee.

The detailed accounts of the battle at Franklin that reach us by mail, do not add anything material to the telegraphic accounts already given. The force of THOMAS has since been materially augmented, and we are assured that, although HOOD's force is drawn up within three miles of Nashville, no fears are entertained concerning the future. It is unquestionably true, however, that the rebels have made more progress into Tennessee than was expected, principally, it is said, because the reinforcements did not reach THOMAS so soon as was expected they would. The present situation, however, is pronounced entirely satisfactory. The ability of THOMAS to cope with HOOD is not doubted, although it is to be confessed that the country would be as well pleased had not Middle Tennessee been subjected to this rebel visitation just at this time.

"The National Association of Wool Manufacturers."

This is the title of an organization perfected at a meeting in Springfield, Mass., last week. The occasion for the existence of the Convention is succinctly stated in the preamble: "WHEREAS, The manufacture of Wool constitutes an important branch of national industry, largely involving the labor and capital of the country; and whereas, its future growth and permanent success requires greater co-operation on the part of those engaged in it than has heretofore existed." It was not so much a gathering of individuals as of *representatives*, the principal manufacturers of the East being there in person or by deputy. New England, as was natural, furnished much the larger part; the Middle States were fairly represented, and the West will doubtless furnish members as the scope and objects of the Association become known.

We learn from the New York *Economist*, that a leading object, perhaps the leading one, in forming the organization, was to promote harmony between the wool grower and the wool manufacturer. Hitherto, there has been a feeling of hostility which cannot too much be deprecated. There is no natural antagonism between these classes; there can be no artificial one maintained. The tariff which fosters the one is equally necessary to foster the other. The line of public policy which favors the one favors the other. There is no better ground for jealousy between them than between the iron miner and the boiler maker, and the sure result of jealousy will be to damage both, and favor the manufacturers of England and France at the expense of industrial interests at home. By the formation and workings of the Association, it is hoped and expected a better state of feeling and more harmonious action between the producer and the manufacturer will be promoted.

To the Ladies.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

SIR: The Women's Loyal League will be very much obliged to you if you will publish the enclosed among your clippings from exchanges, and credit it to the New York *Tribune*. It is taken from that daily of Friday last.

ALLEGHENY, Dec. 2, 1864.

To the Editor of the N. Y. Tribune:

SIR: To the numerous applications made to us from all parts of the country for more specific information upon the various topics, and particularly for the best modes of carrying out the objects of the women's patriotic movement, which, under the different names of national covenants, economic leagues, and women's patriotic associations, have been inaugurated with the purpose of diminishing extravagance, encouraging home manufacture, and preventing the continual depreciation of our currency by the export of gold in payment for foreign luxuries, we beg leave to answer that on the part of the women of the country, we have the most substantial evidence of their determination to carry out these objects, but that we have been met by difficulties, chiefly on the part of manufacturers, merchants and retail dealers, which we will briefly explain.

Circulars issued by different societies were sent to all manufacturers whose names could be obtained. These circulars remaining almost without exception unnoticed, the ladies interested in these movements became satisfied that there was some secret cause for it, and determined to institute a series of inquiries to ascertain the reason. The result of these inquiries was that they were informed by the agents of these manufacturers that they were entirely independent of any such movement on the part of the public, and that, as they already had as many orders as they could execute, they took little interest in the matter. A few, more honest, frankly admitted that it was not their interest to let their fabrics be known as American; that they were disposed of to the jobbers and importers, who directed what labels should be placed upon them, and that they were under promise not to disclose where or under what names they were sold, and as the prejudice against home manufactures was so great, in many instances they were sold as foreign goods.

The truth of the matter is, that not content with ten or fifteen per cent. regular profit, like the European manufacturer, and being thus entirely irresponsible or indifferent as to the reputation of his fabrics, if the demand increases as at present, the American manufacturer, as the foreign article is almost excluded by the high price to which it is raised by the heavy tariff, raises his prices to the enhanced price of the foreign article, which, though his goods may be inferior, he is able to do by the protection of the tariff. Thus immense fortunes are made by the few, at the expense of the people and the country. Indeed, the ladies were told on some occasions that the demand was now so great for every or any kind of wearing material, that *quantity*, not quality, was all that was aimed at.

This desire of making rapid fortunes on the part of our manufacturers, therefore, is the real cause of the prejudice against American goods, of which they complain. As no one can be sure of receiving the same or a better quality of goods year after year, when purchasing the same make, as they can when purchasing from the European manufacturer, the ladies of the various organizations can no longer conceal from themselves or the public that all connected with the making and the selling of domestic goods have set their faces against the movement. On several occasions, when different members of the associations made a personal inquiry of the manufacturer or agent, as to where the goods which they saw on their shelves and handled could be procured at retail, or by the piece, or by the dozen, the answer was: "We are pledged not to tell."

Are they sold as American?

"We do not know. Would the ladies give as much for them if sold as American?"

Until, therefore, content with a less exorbitant profit, our manufacturers, jobbers and retail merchants will consent to sell us our home fabrics under their true labels, the well-meaning and patriotic signers of the different pledges in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Rochester, Binghamton, and other places must endeavor by their economy to consume as little as possible of foreign goods and luxuries. Perseveringly ask for American fabrics, regardless of the irony and sometimes impertinence with which their demands are met in many stores, giving the preference, conscientiously, in all cases to such where goods of American make are acknowledged and sold as such. And the different organizations should carefully note such storekeepers as will do this in their respective cities, and publish their names for the benefit of the community. By thus appealing to their interests we shall compel American goods to be sold under their proper labels.

For the comfort, however, of all interested in these different organizations, we can assure them that their efforts have been in all other respects very successful. They have called the attention of the wealthier classes to the necessity of a wise economy from patriotic motives, and by making it good taste to be cheaply and plainly dressed, many who before would have been ashamed to say "I cannot afford a thing," now wear with pride old bonnets remended and old dresses renewed, and deprecate the imputation of having indulged in the purchase of an expensive article of dress. Those who have less wealth, and upon whom economy is enforced by the present high prices, are thus kept in countenance and relieved of many an unpleasant feeling of mortification, while those who in this crisis still parade their extravagance before the public, expose themselves to an invidious and contemptible distinction which few are inclined to imitate.

Woman's Protective Association, No. 694 Broadway, Room No. 6, November 14.

A page of the Providence *Journal* of Saturday last, was occupied with an interesting report of the improvements made on real estate in Rhode Island during the year. The cost of these improvements is not far from five millions of dollars. Several new and magnificent mills are approaching completion. The increase of the manufacturing resources of the State are said to be of an astonishing character.

FIRST EDITION.

12, MIDNIGHT.

FROM GEN. SHERMAN.

He Reaches the Coast with His Entire Force.

Bragg Claims a Victory over Foster.

Foster and Sherman Co-operating.

FOSTER'S FORCE ALL RIGHT.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

The Richmond papers, of Saturday, December 3d, have been received this morning. They contain but little additional from Georgia. A dispatch from Bragg, dated Augusta 2d, says he has a telegram of that date from Hardee, who states that he had met and defeated a cavalry force, sent out from Beaufort, by the enemy. They had been driven back towards the latter place. He is anticipating, he says, another attack at another point on the Charleston and Savannah Railroad.

The Richmond *Examiner* of the 2d, editorially gives the following: All the news from Georgia is exceedingly encouraging. A few days ago it was reported that the Yankees had reached Millen, and there was every prospect that Sherman would reach the coast. This is false. If Sherman gets through now, which is doubtful, it will certainly be with a loss of half of his army.

The *Sentinel*, *Whig*, *Dispatch* and *Enquirer* of this date contain the official report of Bragg about the fight with Foster's troops, but contain no other facts in relation to Georgia.

By Associated Press.

The news from Savannah received here to-day, from Southern sources, leaves no room for doubt that Sherman has succeeded in reaching the coast with his entire army.

The Baltimore *American* has Richmond papers of Saturday, but they do not appear to have as late Georgia news as that received by steamers from Savannah, except the following from Gen. Bragg, which refers to an engagement subsequent to the capture of Pocotaligo bridge by Gen. Foster's forces. Richmond papers say the Yankees, who landed at Port Royal and moved into the interior with the expectation of meeting Sherman's advance, encountered a body of Confederate troops at a place called Grahamsville. The enemy were badly beaten and driven from the field, leaving their dead on the ground. The telegram conveying this information does not state the direction in which the enemy were driven, but we presume they were driven back towards Beaufort.

LATER.—The following dispatch has been received. It is dated yesterday at Savannah:

I have just returned from the front. The enemy was badly whipped, and has retired to the Coosawatchie. Another point on the railroad is threatened, but I do not apprehend any serious attack.

(Signed.) BRAXTON BRAGG.

Grahamsville, where we are reported as having been repulsed by the rebels, is one of the stations on the Charleston and Savannah railroads. It is thirty-four miles north-east of Savannah, and seventy miles from Charleston. Our forces, however, are evidently above Grahamsville, holding a position on the Coosawatchie. It will be remembered that the news already published from Hilton Head, says that Foster had captured Pocotaligo bridge, which is further inland than Grahamsville, being forty nine miles from Savannah, and fifty-five from Charleston.

From Richmond.

North Carolina Peace Resolutions

No Demand Made for Pryor's Release

Burning of Stony Creek Station Confirmed.

Destruction of the Weldon Railroad.

The Fight at Macon, Ga., a Small Affair.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

The Richmond *Sentinel* of the 3d contains a series of peace resolutions presented in the North Carolina Legislature by one Poole. They are as follows:

Resolved, That five commissioners be elected by the General Assembly to act, with commissioners from other States of this Confederacy, as a medium towards negotiating a peace with the United States.

Resolved, That each of the other States of this Confederacy be respectfully requested to create similar commissioners to co-operate with North Carolina in requesting President Davis, in the name of these sovereign States, that he tender to the United States a conference for negotiating a peace through the medium of these commissioners.

The *Whig*, of December 3d, contains a telegram from Petersburg, stating that Gen. Lee has not demanded Pryor's release. General Wilcox, commanding where Pryor was captured, sent a note to Meade about it, who returned it endorsed that Pryor was captured while violating the orders of both armies, and in retaliation for the capture of officer Burrage under similar circumstances, adding that Pryor could not be released.

The rebel General Gracie, of Alabama, was killed, by the sharpshooters on Friday last.

The Daily *Dispatch*, of December 3d, says Gen. Grant's movements on Lee's right seems to be important. It records the burning on Stony Creek Depot, and the destruction of the Weldon railroad, twenty miles below Petersburg. Their account confirms ours.

The *Enquirer*, of the 3d, says: Persons from Charleston report that there is a fleet of two hundred Federal vessels at Hilton Head. It is believed to be Sherman's supply fleet. Details of the attack and repulse on East Macon, show that it was but a small artillery fight of two hours.

Savannah papers say their troops behaved worse than the Yankees in plundering after the fighting was over.

The pirate Tallahassee is in Wilmington according to Richmond papers.

The proceedings of the Confederate Congress of last Friday are unimportant.

Gen. Stanley and the Battle of Franklin

The Fight Made to Save Our Trains.

REBEL LOSS NOT EXAGGERATED.

The Army in a Safe Position.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 5.

Major General Stanley, wounded at the battle of Franklin, arrived here yesterday. He says the reports of the battle that have reached the public have not exaggerated the rebel losses. The fight was made to save our trains, which were of enormous size and value, filling the roads for twelve miles. It was not intended to hold Franklin longer than was necessary to get our property out of the way. The rebels had been pressing us very hard from Columbia, and at one time we were in great danger. Hood lost his opportunity in not attacking in force at Spring Hill. Schofield's army consisted of the 4th and 23d corps, together with a few regiments that recently entered the service. They left Pulaski on November 23d, and were so closely pressed that it was feared one time that our artillery wagon trains would have to be abandoned, but by good management, all were brought through safely. Gen. Stanley has been in nearly all the battles of Tennessee and Georgia, but says the artillery firing at Franklin was for an hour the most intense he ever witnessed. In addition, we had twenty-eight guns in action, having a full sweep of the rebels' column.

The *Commercial's* Nashville dispatch says Murfreesboro, Bridgeport, and Chattanooga, are safe. Nashville, and the surrounding country hereabouts, have been converted into a large fort. The destruction of rebel property in the defense was immense. Almost all of such property the holders hereabouts are rebel sympathisers. The advance of the rebel army necessitates the destruction of their property. The Federal position is perfectly satisfactory.

Fire in New York.

LOSS $100,000.

All Southerners Arrested by Gen. Dix Discharged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

The fire yesterday damaged the stock and buildings of Halstead, Haines & Co., corner of Broadway and White streets, to the amount of $100,000. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Nearly all the Southerners arrested by order of Gen. Dix have been discharged on giving satisfactory accounts of themselves.

Meeting of Congress.

THE MESSAGE NOT SENT IN.

Taxation on Domestic Liquors.

Revenue Cutters for the Lakes.

About the Draft.

Louisiana Members of Congress.

Lord Lyons Gone to Europe.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

The opening of Congress to-day was signalled by no event of importance. The attendance on the floor of Senate and House, and in the galleries was not so large as at the commencement of the previous session. It being apparent that there would be no message sent in to-day, the spectators soon thinned out.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, revamped his proposition of last session instructing the Committee on Ways and Means to report on their revenue bills for the taxation of all stocks of domestic liquors on hand. This created quite a sensation, and several votes were had before the resolution was finally adopted, by five majority. It is is evident that the members mean to work this session. There seems to be a general impression among members that measures will be adopted to recruit the armies by volunteering instead of the draft in future. Some senators regard the bounty system as less expensive and more rapid than the conscription.

Another Dispatch.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, December 5.

Colorado Jewett is here again, working up his peace mission. He is circulating a petition praying Congress to favor an International Joint Tribunal of Judgment upon points at issue in the civil war now raging, which judgment is to be subjected to the action of the entire people.

The evening papers here manufacture some Southern news, alleged to be in the Richmond papers of Saturday, to the effect that Bragg telegraphs that Sherman has not occupied Millen. Our full files of Richmond journals contain no such paragraphs.

Senator Sherman introduced a bill to-day to provide for the purchase of six new revenue cutters for lake service, with a view to put a stop to the large amount of smuggling now going on across the northern border.

The credentials of Senators and members from Louisiana are to be decided first in the Committee on Elections. A lively debate is anticipated on this question.

Lord Lyons, British Minister, leaves for Europe to-morrow, for his health.

The Attorney General, Speed, arrived here today. He accepts the position.

A. R. Spofford, formerly of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, and now assistant librarian to Congress, is appointed full librarian by the President, vice Stephenson, resigned.

From the Shenandoah.

Dispatch from General Lee.

Capture of Fort Kelly and Piedmont.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

NEW YORK, December 5.

The Richmond *Examiner*, of the 30th ult., says the following official dispatch was received at the War Department last night:

HDQ'RS ARMY OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA, }
December 2, 1864. }

General Early reports that General Rosser, with Haynes and his own brigade, encountered on the 27th ultimo, near Moorfield, a small party of the enemy and captured forty prisoners and one piece of artillery. On the 28th, he surprised and captured Fort Kelly, at New Creek, with four field pieces, four siege guns, seven or eight hundred prisoners, a large number of horses and mules, and eight stand of colors, and destroyed two hundred wagons, and a quantity of commissary and ordnance stores. He brought off the field pieces and some wagons, spiked the siege guns, and destroyed the carriages. He also captured Piedmont and destroyed all the Government buildings, containing a number of engines, burned several bridges, and did considerable damage to the railroad, and collected several hundred head of cattle. His loss was two killed and two or three wounded. The boldness and energy exhibited by General Rosser, and the conduct of his men deserve much praise.

[Signed] R. E. LEE.

From Tennessee.

The Rebels Erecting Breastworks

Cheatham Lost All His Brigadiers.

BURBRIDGE AFTER BRECKINRIDGE.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 5.

The morning *Journal* contains the following: Little or nothing of special interest has transpired to-day along the lines. Our artillery was used at different points against the rebels, who are engaged in erecting breastworks within half a mile of ours.

Prisoners brought in to-day say that Brig.-Gens. Gest, Stahl, Gramberry, and Brown, of the rebel army, were killed at Franklin. Gen. Cheatham lost every Brigadier in his corps.

Gen. Burbridge, with his command, has reached Bean Station, and Breckinridge apparently declines a battle, and has fallen back toward Virginia. Slaves will, if necessary, aid in the movement in that direction.

Gen. John A. Logan left on the mail boat this evening for Cincinnati.

New York Finance and Trade.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

Special Dispatch to Western Associated Press.

The stock market is irregular and unchanged. The Railroad share market is steady at the stock exchange without any general animation. The only point of interest was a heavy purchase of Reading, based upon a prospective cash dividend. Rock Island was also in good demand. Government securities are firm and better on 5-20s, with more demand than on Saturday, in all other stocks there is no particular change. The Gold market is without any special speculative movement on the side of the bulls or bears. The price opened at 227, and, after a slight decline, subsequently ruled at about 229, unaffected by well founded rumors of good news of importance having been received at Washington. The report of Sherman being within six miles of Savannah did not seriously disturb the market. The money market shows still increasing ease. Money brokers have more funds placed at their disposal than they can employ. Foreign Exchange rates unchanged for Wendesday's steamer.

Sinking of the Steamer Continental.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 5.

The steamer Continental sunk yesterday forenoon. She struck the wreck of the James Montgomery, causing her to sink in thirty minutes, but was run on the bar before she sunk. There is no water on the main deck. All the cargo was saved, but damaged by the steamer Hamille. The boat lies straight, and can be raised easy.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION LECTURES—Miss Anna Dickinson, will give the opening lecture of the course, before the members of the Young Mens' Mercantile Library Association, on Wednesday evening, December 14th. Her subject will be—"A Plea for Labor." The lecture committee announce that holders of season tickets can secure choice seats without extra charge by application at the library rooms, between the hours of two and six o'clock on Monday, Dec. 12th, after which time choice seats will be sold to holders of single tickets. The sale of season tickets thus far has been highly encouraging, and no doubt before the night of the opening lecture a much larger number will be taken than was subscribed last season. Theodore Tilton, Esq., the talented and able editor of the *Independent*, has signified his acceptance of an invitation to lecture before the Young Mens' Association within a few weeks.

TICKET AGENT CENTRAL ROAD.—Mr. W. H. Beckwith has been appointed ticket agent at the depot of the Pennsylvania railroad, vice General John Stewart, resigned. Gen. Stewart was presented on Saturday evening with a handsome gold mounted cane by the officers and employees of the road. He has accepted the Superintendent of the Plymouth Coal and Improvement Company, with headquarters at Philadelphia. Mr. Beckwith will be assisted by George N. Beckwith and Henry Bell, and, under their united efforts, there is no question but that the affairs of the company will receive the same faithful attention they did under General Stewart.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Latest from Sherman.

SAVANNAH BEING FORTIFIED

Negroes at Work on Fortifications.

Rebel Soldiers Arriving in the City.

Union Fleet in Broad River.

Convicts Pardoned to Enter the Rebel Ranks.

Buckner Made a Lieut.-General.

Milledgeville Sends to Macon for Provisions.

FORTRESS MONROE, Dec. 5.

The propellor Gen. Lyon, Capt. Ward, from Savannah river on the 1st, with 743 Union prisoners, arrived this evening. The surgeon who was with them reports Sherman's cavalry within six miles of Savannah on the 30th of November. Savannah was being fortified as rapidly as possible. Every negro and every cart in the city was at work on the fortifications. Four trains, loaded with rebel soldiers, had arrived on the Gulf Railroad. There was no report of a disaster to any portion of Sherman's forces.

He says the railroad was cut just after the train he came through Savannah on, had passed through. He came from Florence.

The Savannah *Republican*, of Nov. 30th, contains no telegraphic news from army quarters. The following advices received yesterday, indicate that Sherman has made little or no progress with the main body of his army, during the last day or two. He is still on the railroad some distance beyond Millen, and apparently replenishing his commissaries for the journey before him. His men and animals must be terribly jaded.

We still believe that his intention is to reach the coast, if possible, by that route which presents the least danger of a fight. There was no enemy between here and Millen yesterday, and although a party of Sherman's cavalry had been near the latter place, everything remained untouched.

Another fight is reported between Wheeler and Kilpatrick on Monday, with the usual result. The latter was decently thrashed and driven back in the direction of his infantry. It is reliably reported that a force of about 1,000 landed yesterday from the Yankee fleet, at Boyd's Landing, on Broad River, in South Carolina, and some eight miles from the Savannah and Charleston Railroad. A portion of this command approached the railroad later in the day, but subsequently retired. Preparations, believed to be ample, has been made to meet them should they attempt to cut the road, which it was believed they would do last night. We still believe Sherman has serious thoughts of encountering Savannah with his jaded columns, but will attempt to make his way to the coast by the most practicable route. He will find it difficult to strike one that has no lion in his path. Our military authorities though, and we are glad to see, are acting on sound principles, that the present plan for keeping his army from the city is to make it impossible for him to get there.

Pursuant to a resolution of the General Assembly, Gov. Brown, before leaving Milledgeville, made a proposition to convicts in the penitentiary of pardon if they would volunteer and prove themselves good soldiers. Nearly all volunteered, but a few, of notoriously bad character, were rejected. The company organized is 100 strong and the celebrated Dr. Roberts has been elected Captain.

General Taylor is in Savannah, and has been ordered to take temporary command of all the Confederate reserves in Alabama and Georgia. It is stated that the Georgia militia has been turned over to the Confederate service.

General Buckner is appointed a Lieutenant-General. Our recent loss at Griswoldville, says the Macon *Telegraph*, is set down in killed, wounded, and missing, as follows:—Second Brigade, 160; Third Brigade, 163; Fourth Brigade, 158; State line, 53. Total, 614.

The enemy in their recent march, destroyed everything on General Cobb's plantation, with the exception of his negroes' cabins.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Nov. 25.

To Mr. Collins, Mayor of Macon:

SIR: Our citizens have been utterly despoiled by the Yankee army. Send us bread and meat, or there will be great suffering among us. We have no mills or houses. What you send must be brought by wagon trains. The railroad bridge, and bridge across the Oconee, have been destroyed. The State House, Executive Mansion and factory are still safe. Send us relief at once.

R. B. DE GRAFF, Mayor.

From Cairo and Below.

Arrest of Prominent Citizens of Memphis

CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY.

Johnsonville Evacuated.

TENNESSEE RIVER ABANDONED

CAIRO, Dec. 5.

One hundred and seventeen bales of cotton arrived to-day, fifty-four for St. Louis. General Buford ordered the lines around Helena closed to everybody. Stragglers arriving at Helena on the steamer, soon as discovered were furnished passes and required to leave immediately.

The Memphis *Democrat* says forty or fifty prominent citizens of Memphis were recently arrested at the mouth of White river, by order of Gen. Buford, for attempting to purchase cotton with permits from Ellery, United States cotton purchasing agent at Memphis. Learning which, Ellery dispatched an agent with a letter of instruction to investigate the case and report to him. Upon the arrival of the agent at Helena, Gen. Buford peremptorily refused to investigate, or to permit him to proceed up White river, ordering him to return to Memphis on the steamboat.

The steamer James Watson is detained at Helena. The officers are charged with illegal operations in cotton.

Among the papers captured on a rebel officer during Col. Karge's raid into Arkansas, was an affecting appeal to the rebel General Kirby Smith, by Ex-Gen. Wirt Adams, who has been conscripted and reduced to the ranks.

A communication dated Headquarters Northern Sub-District of Arkansas, Nov. 7th, stated another copy had been sent by Colonel Cross, via Shreveport.

The steamer Clara Dobson from New Orleans on the 28th, arrived. She was fired into at the head of Dead Man's Bend, with musketry. No one hurt. The rebels occupied Goodrich Landing, which the federals recently abandoned, causing some excitement.

Vicksburg and New Orleans papers contain no news. The markets are unchanged. The federals have been withdrawn from Johnsonville, on the Tennessee river, but the government stores remain.

There were no transports or gunboats above town when evacuated and the river is now wholly abandoned.

A large quantity of clothing, boots, shoes, &c., were recently forwarded from Memphis, via Mobile to Cohala, under charge of Captain Whylocks for the relief of Union prisoners held at that place.

The Situation before Nashville Satisfactory.

Sherman's Advance Within Six Miles of Savannah.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

The report in circulation in this city to-day, that General Thomas has abandoned Nashville and is falling back is untrue. The situation before Nashville, down as late as this afternoon, was highly satisfactory to the Government.

By the arrival of a Government transport at Fortress Monroe last evening, the Government has received advices from Savannah, to the 2d of December, that when the steamer left, the information had reached Savannah that Sherman's advance cavalry was within six miles of that city. This does not conflict with the news by the steamer Belle, which arrived on Saturday night, that Savannah papers of the 3d, announced that Sherman's main army was within forty miles of that city. Those papers do not state at what date he was at that distance from the city.

Details of the Raid on New Creek.

Rebels Succeed in Carrying of Plunder.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

The *Tribune's* Shenandoah special says:—The rebel cavalry under General Rosser made a clear thing of their raid to New Creek, West Virginia, last Wednesday. They returned, passing Moorfield on Friday, *en route* to New Market, having four pieces of artillery, from three to four hundred prisoners, and a drove of cattle and sheep, which was daily augmenting by captures along the route of march. Some of the pieces of artillery was captured in a skirmish previous to the attack on New Creek. They spiked and left in the works several pieces of ordnance which could not be removed. They spent Sunday night near Moorfield, and resumed their journey to New Market the following morning, carrying their prisoners and booty with them, having accomplished the end of their expedition, and fell back with their plunder with great haste, to avoid being cut off by any possible force which might be sent against them from this command.

From the South.

Immediate Efforts for Peace Demanded

FEELING AGAINST JEFF. DAVIS.

He is to be Watched.

The Raleigh, N. C., *Progress*, in an article demanding immediate efforts for peace by negotiations, of which mention was made in the special dispatches to yesterday's COMMERCIAL, dilates as follows: "Judging from the tone of the Georgia press and the givings out of her public men, there can be no doubt about the fact that the people of Georgia are for an immediate effort for peace by negotiations. The leading statesmen all concur that peace cannot come by fighting, and that sooner or later we must end the struggle by negotiations, mutual concession and compromise; and the press of the State is largely on the side of the principles set forth and the plan suggested in the admirable letter of Mr. Boyce. The peace men of Georgia, like the peace men here, are told that the enemy are not ready yet to negotiate with us; that we must fight on till they are in a better temper, &c; but men of common sense will ask themselves if the prospect to negotiate an honorable and favorable peace will be better after six or twelve months more of exhaustion than now; and if much better terms could not have been had twelve or eighteen months ago than now. War, like everything else engaged in by man, is a matter of fact business, and frenzied speculations, ridiculous predictions and passionate threats never change results, and the sooner the weaker party to a struggle can bring themselves to survey the field with calmness and practical reason the better. The people of Georgia and elsewhere remember the promises that have been made and broken; and they see day by day usurpations of the authorities consuming them and what they have, and they want peace. Not only do they want peace, but they want liberty with it—that liberty which shall protect person and property, and make none but reasonable and just exactions for the support of government.

Congress is to meet next Monday, and many of the State Legislatures will soon assemble, and if these servants of the people will honestly consult the interests and wishes of those who have clothed them with power, instead of devising ways by which the few remaining white men may be put in the field, and discussing the propriety of arming the slaves for the butchery of their owners, they will act as men and as statesmen, and demand that an earnest, determined effort, be made for peace. We must negotiate with the enemy sometime, and it is folly to stand upon punctilio; for the sooner we commence the sooner shall we stop the effusion of blood, and the better will be the terms of settlement. The Yankees will never get all they demand by invasion, nor shall we ever get all we desire by resistance; and this being so, every motive of interest and sound policy should induce both parties to desire that negotiations should commence at once. The idea that we must wait for them to lay aside their arms and make overtures to us will end in our ruin and subjugation, if persisted in, and equally absurd is the thought that we cannot, consistently with our self-respect, approach them directly on the subject of peace. Unless the wisdom of Congress and of the State Legislatures shall devise some plans by which the war may be stopped and peace restored, it does not require the spirit of prophecy to see that we are a ruined people.

Jealousy of the executive power, says the Charleston *Mercury*, is an essential condition to the rightful operation of all free government. Confidence is not the principle of any free government. Distrust, rather, is its principle—distrust, which seeks by dividing power, to prevent its abuse. It takes for granted the truth of the statement of the Psalmist, that 'man is prone to evil, and that continually', and, therefore, hems him around, when entrusted with power, with guards and checks and opposing powers. Our confidence is in the constitution, and in that jealous distrust of power in the executive every line of it teaches confidence in the people of the Confederate States and the mighty cause which animates them. We distrust "all" power—"all executive" power under any constitution, but, above all, we distrust all "arbitrary" power, sought for by an executive in the midst of public troubles. Our distrust is the echo of the constitution and of all experience in past ages.

The Richmond *Whig* remarks: The *Sentinel*, who thinks that the matter should not be discussed too much in the press or on the rostrum, still devotes much space to the subject of the employment of slaves in the public defense; and thinks that it is a practical question for the judgment of military men rather than a theme for the closet speculations of scholars and theorists. The *Sentinel* says that strange arguments are daily heard in reference to this possible measure. In our opinion, the strangest of all is that urged by the *Sentinel* itself, when it says that it is disposed to be guided in this matter by the opinion of military men. Will the *Sentinel* inform anybody in virtue of what law, in accordance with what traditions, the "military men" have become the constitutional expounders of the land? Surely the *Sentinel*, so zealous in finding out mares' nests, will not be less so in explaining what to us looks like some wonderful discovery on its part.

In opposition to Davis's proposal, to emancipate all slaves employed in the rebel army, the *Sentinel* says:—In regard to emancipating the corps of negroes, as a reward for the faithful performance of military servitude, it is to be regretted that such a recommendation has been made by the Executive. It is calculated to induce popular, press, and political excitement; it is contrary to the policy and the law almost universally adopted at the South; it is assuming a fallacy, that emancipation, unless accompanied by material support, would be a reward, rather than a punishment and cruelty, to the negro; it is a violation of the political axiom, admitted and endorsed by our State governments, that servitude is the safest, best, and happiest condition for the negro; and, lastly, it will be universally condemned by the press and people, weakening, thus, the force of the administration, and, in a measure, destroying that essential harmony which should exist between the policy of the Executive and the sentiment of the nation.

We heard one of the most intelligent Generals in our service, says the Richmond *Whig*, remark that Jackson and Forrest were the mysteries of the war. Without explanation, his opinion with reference to these two great military chieftains, would not be appreciated. For instance, before the war Stonewall Jackson was regarded as an ordinary tutor of boys in the natural sciences at the Military Institute. While his friends knew he was good, brave and possessed of untiring energy, none of them supposed that he was a great captain, and yet the world has scarcely seen one more uniformly successful. He seemed to be emphatically a man of destiny, who controlled and ordered Generals under him as if they were mere men upon the chess board.

Forrest, too, in peace times, was regarded as chivalrous, generous and brave; but nobody in his extended circle of friends dreamed that he was capable of rivalling Murat as a cavalry leader, and yet it is so; as much as we appreciate a thorough military education in a General, we always feel a perfect confidence, though he happens to be without it, that whenever he is in the saddle, either in pursuit of Yankee cavalry, gunboats or what not, that success will surely crown his efforts. We would as soon expect Moseby to be foiled in a raid as that Forrest could be whipped by any force the Yankees can possibly concentrate against him.

In relation to the condition of the rebel army at Richmond, the *Sentinel* says: Our troops are in fine condition. Clothing, blankets and shoes are being daily issued to them, and full rations of flour or meal, beef or bacon, sweet potatoes, sugar, molasses, coffee, rice, salt and soap are daily given to them.

The *Whig* has the following in reference to the importance of Richmond: Among the delusions in which the Yankees habitually indulge, is that connected with the capture of Richmond. They attach as much importance to this city as though it bore the same relation to the Confederacy that Paris does to France. Paris, says Europe, is France. Richmond, says Yankeedom, is the Confederacy. Capture Richmond, and the Confederacy, which Grant calls a shell—a tolerably hard one he has found it—will be cracked beyond the power of reunion.

There never was a greater fallacy. We have not the remotest idea that Richmond will be, or can be, taken by Grant. And yet we hesitate not to pronounce a gross fallacy the idea that its capture would have the slightest influence upon the result of the war. It could never have entered the heads of the Yankees that it was of such importance had not the vigor and energy with which it has been defended given it a fictitious value. The moral effect of its fall would for a while certainly be great. But there would be countervailing advantages that would more than outweigh it. It would relieve Gen. Lee's army, who then, having no capital to defend, could manoeuvre as he pleased. Gen. Grant would find, if he should take it to-morrow, that he had, indeed, captured the shell, but the kernal was gone.

Speaking of Dutch Gap canal, the *Sentinel* says:—We have reports in the Northern papers of the near completion of the Dutch Gap canal. This canal is an improvement much needed, and will be of signal benefit to those of our citizens engaged in navigating the James, when the enemy are driven from Virginia, our independence achieved, and our ports opened to the commerce of the world. It will prove of very little use to the enemy in their operations against Richmond. The *Whig* says:—That Butler's canal is a failure we judge from the tone of the army correspondents who write from City Point, despite the fact that there are vague rumors, which come through Yankee prisoners and deserters, that it will be finished in a few days. We feel rather disappointed, nevertheless, to think that the navigation of the James, after all, is not to be shortened. Butler will profit by re-reading Richelieu's motto. The canal must be cut, even if Commodore Mitchell of our navy has to finish the job.

LEFT FOR NEW YORK.—Messrs. Hays and Grazier left yesterday afternoon for New York, to attend the tobacco manufacturers' convention. The question to be discussed is whether a tax should be levied exclusively upon the raw material or upon the manufactured article.

Highly Interesting.

Attempted Seizure of the Steamer Salvador.

Instructions of the Rebel Secretary of the Navy.

The Pirate Florida Affair.

Minister Webb to the Brazilian Authorities.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

The *Herald's* Panama letter gives an account of the capture of the pirates who had planned the seizure of the steamer Salvador. The letter contains instructions from the rebel Secretary of the Navy to Captain Hogg, commanding the Enterprise. The instructions contain the following:—You will endeavor to strike a blow at the California trade and whalemen in the Pacific, and should you capture bullion, it is suggested that if no better means of shipping it to Europe, you place it in the hands of British merchants of established character, at Valparaiso. A French man-of-war might receive it as freight. You are to do the enemy, in accordance with the rules of civilized war, the greatest harm in the shortest time. Should you seek neutral ports, you will be careful to observe the usual naval courtesies, and seek to place the character of the contest in which we are engaged, and the principles involved, in their proper light.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says the rebels have opened a new battery near Fort Darling, raking the channel from Dutch Gap up.

Our Minister in Brazil, under date of October 14th, sends a communication to the Brazilian Minister of Foreign Affairs in regard to the capture of the Florida. Gen. Webb begins his communication by rehearsing the course of Great Britain and other nations in reorganizing the belligerency of the rebels, which was also sanctioned by Brazil as soon as possible. Gen. Webb declares that the United States have a friendly feeling toward Brazil, and adds: Animated by such a sentiment for Brazil, the Government of the United States will feel regret at learning that a commander in the navy, without any instructions or authority whatever, took on himself the responsibility to capture one of the piratical cruisers of the rebels while she was anchored in the port of Bahia, and the undersigned believes himself authorized to assure your Excellency that all the reparation which honor and justice exact, will be very freely offered, and much more freely and promptly tendered than if the act had been committed by American cruisers in the waters of the most powerful nation in the world. Recognizing the right of those pirates to enjoy protection in the ports of England and France, is simply because she cannot resist it. The Government of the United States will not withhold from Brazil one iota of that reparation which under the circumstances of her present embarrassed position, she would be obliged to concede to England. Neither the United States, nor the undersigned, are directly or indirectly responsible for this occurrence. It was not ordered or authorized either by the Government of the United States or by the undersigned.

A letter from Wilmington to the London *Times* says: If instead of indulging in spite against Charleston, in April, 1863, the whole power of the Federal navy had been turned against Wilmington the course of this war might have been more influenced than by burning the city of Charleston or capturing half a dozen Vicksburgs. Wilmington, long unmolested, has grown into such a fortress as to defy the remotest efforts of the Yankees from the sea.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Chief Justiceship—Chase's Friends and Opponents both Sanguine—Senate Caucus—Committees Wait on the President—The Message to be Delivered To-day—A Delegation from Kentucky in Reference to the Draft—Bills to be Introduced in Congress—Drafting in Washington—Editor and Reporter Drafted.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, December 5.

The contest for the Chief Justiceship has not abated in the least to-day. The friends and opponents of Chase are equally confident. The Senate is almost unanimous for him, and the pressure on the President to-day has greatly increased since it became known that Montgomery Blair is quite certain of being made Associate Justice.

At a Senatorial caucus to-night, to arrange the committees for this session, there was considerable feeling manifested at the efforts of certain Senators to be put on all of the important committees.

By Western Associated Press.

There is considerable excitement to-day over the question of Supreme Court appointments. Justices Wayne, Swaine, Clifford, Miller, and Greer are on the bench.

Both Houses of Congress, to-day appointed a committee to wait upon the President and inform him that they were ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to make. They adjourned before the committee had time to return with an answer, it being understood among the members that the message would not be sent in to-day.

It is ascertained from a member of the committee, that the President informed them he would transmit it to Congress to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

The report of the Secretary of the Treasury, on the finances, was placed in the printer's hands to-day.

Various gentlemen, to-day, in the House, gave notice, under the rule, of their intention to introduce bills on the following named subjects: By Mr. Julian, of Indiana, providing for the forfeiture of the fee simple of rebel land holders, and prescribing the oath of loyalty to all persons practicing law in the rebel States. By Mr. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, to regulate the value of money; to prohibit the exportation of gold and silver coin; to prevent gold and silver coin and bullion from being paid or accepted for a greater value than their real or current value, and preventing any note or bill issued by the United States from being received for a smaller sum than is therein specified. Also a bill, supplemented to the act of June 30th, 1864: So far as the same affects tobacco and cigars; by Elijah Ward, of New York, to repeal so much of section 7 of International Revenue Act of March 7, 1864, as imposes an additional tax of 40 cents per gallon upon spirits imported prior to the passage of that law; by Mr. Spalding, of Ohio, providing for the establishment of a navy yard at Cleveland, Ohio and a bill appropriating a share of the public lands for the benefit of such soldiers in the regular and volunteer service of the United States as shall have rallied around the flag of the Union in the war of the rebellion whether natives, naturalized citizens or aliens, and a bill to prescribe a more impartial mode of empanelling jurors in the Federal Courts.

The *Times'* Washington special says a delegation from Kentucky, consisting of George H. Seaman, W. P. L. Bush, and Cols. Alfred Allen and C. D. Pennybaker, have been here for some days for the purpose of obtaining an order to stop the draft in Kentucky. A conference was held on Saturday with the President, Secretary of War, and Provost Marshal General, which resulted in an order being issued stopping further drafting in that State.

The Army of the Potomac specials of the 3d contain no news beyond the details of Gregg's expedition, already sent forward to Washington.

The *Commercial's* Washington special says, there are rumors of a disaster to the Union forces in Georgia, but they are unfounded.

Drafting was resumed in Washington to-day to fill the deficiency in the quota. The editor of the *Republican*, Hansome, and O. R. Harris, reporter for the same paper, were drafted.

XXXVIIITH CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.

SENATE.—The Senate was called to order at noon by Mr. Clarke, of New Hampshire, President *pro tem*. Prayer was then made by the Chaplin, Mr. Bowman, of Indiana. Mr. Foote, of Vermont, offered a resolution that the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to inform the House that the Senate was ready to proceed to business. Adopted.

The following Senators were present: Messrs. Anthony, Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Conness, Cowan, Davis, Dixon, Doolittle, Foote, Foster, Grimes, Harding, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Hendricks, Hicks, Howe, Johnson, Lane of Ind., Lane of Kansas, McDougal, Morgan, Morrill, Nesmith, Pomeroy, Powell, Ramsey, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Trumbull, Van Winkle, Wade, Wilkinson and Willey.

Mr. Sherman introduced a bill providing that the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to construct not exceeding six steam revenue cutters for service on the lakes, and for that purpose the sum of one million dollars, or so much thereof as is necessary, is appropriated.

Mr. Lane, of Kansas, introduced a bill for the relief of the militia of Kansas in repelling the invasions of the rebels under Price. Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Foster moved that the Senate take a recess for one hour. On re-assembling, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The House assembled at noon. The galleries were densely crowded—all the members in the best possible humor, and exchanging salutations. The Speaker called the House to order, when prayer was offered up to the Throne of Grace by Chaplain Channing. The roll of members was then called, and upwards of one hundred and fifty members answered to their names.

A quorum was announced as in attendance. A message was received from the Senate informing the House that a quorum had assembled and were ready to proceed. Resolutions were adopted to inform the Senate that the House was ready to proceed to business.

The Speaker laid before the House the credentials of five gentlemen of Louisana, signed by Michael Hahn, Governor, purporting to be elected members of the House in pursuance of the recently adopted Constitution of that State. The credentials were referred to the Committee on Elections.

The privileges of the Hall were accorded to them while the question of their credentials was pending.

Mr. Davis presented a protest from Louisana against their being admitted as members. Referred to the Committee on Elections.

On motion of Mr. Davis, of Maryland, it was resolved that the Committee of Ways and Means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of reporting a bill for an amendment of the Constitution, providing that so much of the 9th section of the 1st article of the Constitution, as declares that no tax or duty shall be laid on articles exported from any State, be, and the same is hereby annulled.

Mr. Pendleton offered the following:

Resolved, That the President be required to communicate, if not incompatible with the public interests, the report made by Col. Thos. M. Key, of an interview between himself and Howell Cobb, on the 14th day of June, 1862, on banks of the Chicahominy, by the authority of the War Department, on the subject of the exchange of prisoners.

Mr. Washborne, of Illinois, objected. So the subject lies over.

Mr. Cox, of Ohio, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Ways and Means, with a view to lessen the cost of the necessaries of life be instructed to inquire into the expediency of reducing the tariff on coffee, sugar, tea and of similar articles, either by the payment of customs in the paper currency of the Government instead of gold; or by the modification of the tariff, so that an advalorum and not a specific duty be laid.

On motion of Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts, the resolution was tabled, 63 to 49.

On motion of Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, it was resolved that the Committee of Ways and Means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing a sinking fund for the gradual extinguishment of the public debt.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, offered a resolution that if any amendment to the revenue bill to be reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, the said Committee be instructed to lay a tax on all stocks of domestic liquors on hand.

Mr. Morrill moved to lay the resolution on the table. Disagreed to, 47 to 63. The resolution was then agreed to, 53 to 51.

The Speaker said he understood that the President's message would not be communicated to-day. Adjourned.

Exchanged Prisoners from Savannah.

LIST OF PENNSYLVANIANS.

The following is a list of Pennsylvanians among the exchanged prisoners, lately arrived from Savannah at Annapolis. There have been arrivals since the above but was not made out.

Herman Moleman, B, 77th inft; Nathan Miller, H, 13th cav; Wm H Miller, K, 26th inft; G W Zollers, H, 13th cav; D L Turner, F, 11th cav; S N Vernon, G, 145th inft; B C McWilliams, F, 16th cav; D Bishop, F, 4th cav; Corp'l D E M George, G, 96th inft; C Tizzard, B, 72d inft; D R Wilson, E, 57th inft; Serg't B H Hill, F, 145th inft; C S Sanford, H, 4th cav; A Raymond, A, 49th inft; Jno Bowen, L, 3d cav; H Williams, H, 90th inft; D S Orcutt, band, 11th cav; James Fontyn, C, 93d inft; Charles Redfield, H, 155th inft; J Thompson, D, 55th, inf; Serg't Wm Hunter, H, 8th cav; F G Mills, D, 101st inf; Jno Moore, C, 55th inf; E Walker, B, 5th cav; C McPherson, K, 8th cav; W McDowell, D, 4th cav; L Shaffer, K, 188th inf; L Kohler Buyler, C, 155th inf; H Jones, K, 72d; C Leonard, F, 51th inf; Corp'l J M Boyce, K, 1st cav; W Front, I, 3d cav; J Johnson, K, 3d cav; Jno McCann, E, 55th inf; W H Wondeley, I, 55th inf; H D Hamilton, F, 4th cav; Serg't J L Wells, F, 111th inf; Thos Corp'l McChesney, B, 76th inf; Jas Devitt, I, 96th infantry; Josiah Morehead, I, 62d inf; John McKelvey, L, 4th cav; Nat Crane, H, 73d inf; R D Coombs, F, 15th cav; Porter Richardson, B, cav; Serg't J D Troutner, C, 4th cav; S Christopher, G, 22d cav; Charles Williamson, H, 8th; C T Hand, C, 96th cav; L Corp'l Wilson, B, 4th cav; Serg't Davis Wolf, H, 8th cav; H Briel, H, 50th inf; Captain L Stanley, H, 53d infantry; S Pheneerle, E, 78th inf; John Kelley, A, 3d heavy artillery; Jas Benninghoff, G, 1st cav; G W Price, A, 72d inf; J Birch, D, 3d cav; G Garritt, H, 1st cav; Jos Richards, F, 184th inf; Corp F L Blair, F, 79th inf; J Benethum, D, 55th inf; Wm Neff, D, 55th inf; S Malcomson, F, 118th inf; J H W Ward, bugler, 8th cav; Jos Fortescue, I, 73d inf; Jno McNeel, B, 69th inf; J Lock, K, 57th inf; T W James, B, 57th inf; R C Howe, C, 76th inf; Jno Morrow, F, 78th inf; Sergeant William Langford, F, 6th inf. Thos Kendig, H, 57th inf; Edward Barns, I, 67th inf; Jacob Doub, H, 73d inf; R H Egner, D, 118th inf; G W Plumber, I, 54th inf; David Clark, H, 51st inf; A Benniscia, D, 55th inf; F Marney, D, 27th inf; T C Hendrick, K, 155th inf; D J Levan, company E, 46th inf; Sergeant R Wills, D, 77th inf; H W Cope, A, 49th inf; J D Stonecypher, K, 45th inf; D Farrington, I, 150th inf; Robert Wilson, A, 102d inf; Sergeant Major W Burk, 116th inf; Corporal R Fukesbray, A, 18th cav; F L Banzo, G, 18th cav; J M Rumbarger, G, 148th inf; H Wernart, C, 106th inf; Sergeant G W Conrad, M, 4th cav; D H Raysor, K, 4th cav; J W Critley, D, 3d cav; P Citwell, K, 4th cav; R C Folwell, E, 8th cav; Corporal H J Reifsnyder, M, 8th inf, T F Forbes, F, 10th cav; John Mahoney, I, 19th cav; J Y Black, D, 19th cav; Geo Brown, bugler, B, 4th cav; J Schriver, F, 13th cav; J Renfried, K, 8th cav; Sergeant J Galloway, B, 17th cav; L Kennedy, L, 17th cav; J S Thompson, K, 13th cav; J Phillips, A, 13th cav; M F Flaherty, A, 3d cav; Sergeant F A Long, H, 18th cav; S Updegraff, E, 18th cav; Hugh Crennan, L, 6th cav; S W Hensel, K 18th cav; Sergeant H R Breneman, B, 14th cav; Wm Eckenbrine, L, 18th cav; C E Nugent, L, 4th cav; A Robbins, D, 63d inf; Corporal P McEneany, A, 73d inf; C Phelps, H 145th inf; Chas Mills, B, 13th cav; Barney Cole, G, 71st infantry; C Williams, E, 101st infantry; William Winterbatten, E, 3d cav; J S Fuller, B, 1st cavalry; Allen Wier, B, 57th inf; Serg't R Farrington, K, do; Samuel Cornell, D, 101st do; Jas Rankin, K, 145th do; Wm J Naylor, B, 29th cav; Wm McCutchen, I, 4th do; Jesse Nichols, farrier, M, 20th do; Serg't Stephen Slike, B, 11th do; Daniel Egan, E, 13th do, Chas Sherer, H, 9th do; Daniel Stouffer, C, 4th do; D H Smith, D, 20th do; Vincent Amos, E, 22d do; P Macesty, I, 2d do; J Fenstemaker, F, 106th inf; J C Early, I, 149th do. G Backman, C, do; J Gallagher, E, 119th do; R Edwards, G, 90th do; A J North, G, 53d do; A Hart, F, 57th do; S M Keeler, F, 2d heavy art; A Patten, D, 13th cav; M Scheider, M, 19th do; Jno Deaner, F, 7th do; A L Murray, C, 14th do; A P Shannon, D, do; S Howe, B, 13th do; H R Sodders, L, 2d do; A James, I, 4th do; Corp Wm Blake, D, 4th do; Jno Thompson, M, 16th do; Wm Edwards, L, 18th do; Allen Henry, L, 20th do; Jesse Nichols, farrier, M, 20th do; Jno Divine, E, 23d inf; Robert Edwards, G, 90th do; John A Conway, A, 55th do; Thos Conway, G, do; Henry Peterson, B, 97th do; Noah Stocker, E, do; Phil Austig, E, 55th do; Corp Adolph Wagner, K, 69th do; Jno Long, D, 95th do; T J Montgomery, D, 51st do; D W Warwick, C, 157th do; Wm Akins, I, 110th; C Cunningham, D, 82d do.

CITY MATTERS.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT THE PENITENTIARY—WATCHMAN KILLED.—William Barrows, night watchman at the Western Penitentiary, accidentally shot himself Sunday night, while engaged in the discharge of his duties. The circumstances of the accident were detailed before the Coroner's jury as follows:—James O'Neill, a watchman, testified that he heard the discharge of a pistol and found the deceased lying on the floor of the cook-house bleeding at the head, and his clothes on fire. He extinguished the fire, and called the Superintendent. On examining the pistol, he found one of the barrels had been discharged, and the ball had entered the face of the deceased, near the lower end of the nose. Mr. M'Kean, one of the overseers, testified that he was waked by the watchman, about one o'clock, and found the deceased lying in the room, in the condition mentioned by the preceding witness. There was no other person in the room at the time the deceased was shot.

Captain Birmingham, Warden of the Penitentiary, testified that he was called by the alarm bell in his room, went to the door of the cook house and found the deceased bleeding, and his pistol lying on the floor. He was satisfied from an examination of the condition of things, that the deceased had been accidentally shot by the pistol falling from his pocket. There had evidently been some grease spilled in the cook house, and the supposition is, that, in stopping to clean it up, he had dropped his pistol, which, falling upon the stone floor, had been discharged. The doors of the room were so arranged that no person could have inflicted the wound from without. Capt. Birmingham spoke very highly of the deceased, and stated that he was one of the best watchmen he ever had.

Dr. J. B. Herron testified that he was called, about two o'clock in the morning, to attend the deceased, and found a bullet wound in the face. The ball entered the face at the side of the nose, passed upwardly, and penetrated the brain between the eyes. The deceased lived till about half past two o'clock, but was unable to converse.

The deceased was about sixty years of age, and resided at No. 122 Beaver street. He had been employed but a short time in the penitentiary, but sufficiently long to be highly esteemed for his fidelity and punctuality. The jury found a verdict of accidental death.

DESPERATE ASSAULT UPON A POLICEMAN.—Timothy Cunningham was before the Mayor yesterday morning, charged on oath of night watchman Peter Dressler, with a most aggravated assault committed upon him on Sunday night, at the foot of Smithfield street. Dressler was most brutally assaulted and dragged nearly to the water's edge, ere assistance reached him. Timothy was fined $25 for the part he took in the affair, and in default of payment was committed to jail to answer. This thing of assaulting officers is becoming too common, and examples must be made, and we are glad to know that the Mayor has determined to show this class of rowdies no mercy.

SERMONS FOR THE PEOPLE.—The revival sermons which are now in the course of delivery in Dr. Paxton's church, are increasing in interest every evening. The Rev. James Prestley, D. D., delivered the fifth of the series last evening; subject—"The Gospel Remedy." Dr. Prestley chose for his text, Roman 3: 24; Being justified by His grace, &c.

The house was literally jammed, and many were unable to find admission. The sixth of the series will be delivered by the Rev. W. A. Davidson, this evening. Subject—"The Gospel Offer."

COMMITTED FOR LARCENY.—Officer Sarber yesterday arrested a woman, named Belle Kelly, charged with stealing a pair of shoes from E. P. Long's store, Market street. When arrested the stolen goods were found in her possession. In default of bail she was committed for trial by Alderman Humbert.

Public Sale of Farm.—The old Hutchman farm, of 113 acres, adjoining Judge Brown's, on Evergreen road, Ross township, about eight miles from town, will be sold by A. Leggate, auctioneer, on the premises, to-morrow (Wednesday), at ten o'clock.

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SELLING LIQUOR ON SUNDAY.—Wm. Backted, George Canning, James Shartin and James O'Rourke received polite notes from the Mayor yesterday to call and settle with him for selling the "ardent" on the Sabbath day, contrary to the laws and statutes of Pennsylvania in such cases made and provided. This is O'Rourke's second offense, so that he may expect to pay the piper. The Mayor's raid against the violators of the Sunday law, like the march of civilization, is slow but sure, and those who would save costs had better close up on Sunday.

California Wines and Brandy.—These wines are the pure product of the grape, and possess a delicacy of flavor and a richness of taste unequalled by any foreign article in the American market. "Port"—a mild and gentle astringent; "Angelica"—a gentle stimulant of highly nutritive character in cases of debility or exhaustion, and can be received by the most delicate or irritable stomach; "Hock"—will be found a pleasant wine for table use, very dry, and an assistant to digestion and promotive of an appetite; "Muscadet"—similar to the famous "Hungarian Tokay," unrivalled for parties or ladies' use generally. "Grape Brandy"—the pure distillation of the grape. For sale by N. McClarran & Co, druggists, 85 Market street, corner Diamond, near Fifth street.

Boston Museum.—Hoffman & Keller's collection of curiosities, Fifth street, opposite the Postoffice, continues to attract admiring crowds. The fat woman, General Tom Thumb, and the other curiosities, are to be seen daily, the museum closing at nine o'clock each evening.

(Additional Local on Fourth Page.)

DIED:

DICKSON—On Sabbath evening, at 5 o'clock, Mrs. MARY DICKSON, in the 74th year of her age.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her husband, Thomas Dickson, Sr., No. 627 Liberty street, on Wednesday, December 7th, at 2 o'clock, p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 2t

GROVE—On Monday morning, Dec. 5th of pneumonia, Mrs. MARY GROVE, in the 57th year of her age.

Her funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, Jas. D. Carlisle, near Oakland, on Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock. Carriages will leave the corner of Seventh and Smithfield streets at 8.45 a. m. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. 2t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—
A Traveling Agency for an Oil or Glass House. Address "B." Postoffice Box 1,505. de6 2t

WANTED—A SITUATION—
By a Druggist. Address "J." Postoffice Box 1,505. de6-2t

FOUND—A LOT OF PAPERS—
Belonging to Lieut. John Whitaker, 53d Reg't. Pa. Vols. Can have the same by calling at the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad, Penn street, and paying for this advertisement. de6-1t

LOST—
A Ladies' Gold Chain, Jet and Gold Pin, with two hair "charms" attached—one in the shape of a harp, the other a heart. Inscribed on the pin was Lizzie D. Henry; on the charms J. H. G. The finder will be thankfully and liberally rewarded by leaving them at PARK & BRILL'S,
de6-2t 77 Federal street, Allegheny.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
The subscribers to the stock of the
MACKSBURG PETROLEUM COMPANY.
Will meet at the office of Messrs. Marshall & Brown, Fifth street, on
THURSDAY, 8th inst., at 3 O'Clock, P. M.,
For the purpose of organization. Punctual attendance is requested.
DAVID A. STEWART, President pro tem.
JOHN KELLY, Secretary pro tem. de6 3t

FOR SALE.
The undersigned offer for sale a lease of
THREE-QUARTERS OF AN ACRE,
At White Rock Eddy, on the line of Allegheny Valley R. R. The landing is one of the best on the Allegheny river. There is erected on the lease eight oil tanks of capacity of 1,200 barrels, each 24 feet bottom, 16 feet staves, 9 iron hoops, and are nearly new. For the purpose of storing oil, this is one of the best locations that can be found.
The tanks would be sold separately, or with the lease. (which has nine years to run), on reasonable terms. Apply to G. S. LONG & CO.,
No. 29 Wood street, (Up Stairs).
December 5, 1864. de6 3t

J. J. BENDER & CO,
NO 341, COR. OF LIBERTY AND WAYNE STS,
offer for sale Lindsay's Improved Blood Searcher. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Brown's Bronchial Troches. Cary's Cough Cure. Ramsom's Hive Syrup and Tolu. Sozodont. Seller's Cough Syrup. Carbonate Ammonia. Extract Calabria Licorice. Extract Logwood. de6

THE STEFFLE FARM OIL CO.
Capital - $160,000.
SHARES - - 160,000.
PAR VALUE ONE DOLLAR.
WORKING CAPITAL, $20,000.
C. W. RICKETSON, Pres. | JOHN M. TIEMAN, Sec.
The property of this Company consists of thirty-four acres on the Allegheny river, in Venango county, and is held under a perpetual lease, subject to a royalty of ONLY ONE-TWENTIETH part of the Oil DELIVERED IN THE TANK, and is the richest territory on the river, above or below Oil Creek. There is on this territory a well about 600 feet in depth, full of oil. A good engine and boiler also at the well. The well was sunk three years ago, and suspended at that time in consequence of the low price of oil. It is in the vicinity of the celebrated Hoover Well, and adjoining the Pope and Smith Farm, where there are a number of flowing and large pumping wells.
Arrangements have been made by the Management to prosecute the work immediately, and it is confidently expected a
Handsome Dividend
Will soon be obtained. The Company, also, have in fee simple two acres on Oil Creek, on which there is a well about five hundred feet in depth, with an excellent show of oil, which has never been tubed, and was suspended when oil was at a non-paying point.
Books for subscriptions to the stock of this Company will be opened at the office of
STEEL & BAILEY,
WILKIN'S HALL,
ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, December 7th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. de6 2t

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

HEADQUARTERS, PENNSYLVANIA MILITIA, }
HARRISBURG, Dec. 3, 1864. }

GENERAL ORDERS, }
No. 54. }

I. The Commander in Chief, in announcing that Major General COUCH, has been, by the War Department, relieved from the command of the Department of the Susquehanna, and ordered to service in the field, deems it just to express the regret which he feels at the termination of the relations which have existed, during more than eighteen months, between that officer and the State authorities, and to say that the promptitude, earnestness, vigor and integrity with which General COUCH, at all times fulfilled all his duties in this department, have entitled him to the highest esteem and regard. The citizens of Pennsylvania have learned to know his merit, and will be gratified to hear of that new distinction, which, in active service, his skill, spirit and gallantry cannot fail to add to his already high reputation as a patriot and soldier.

II. The Commander in Chief deems it a proper subject of congratulation that the command of the Department devolves upon Major Gen. CADWALADER, a citizen of our own State, and an officer of high integrity and military character, and on whom the people can rely, the public service will be wisely and vigorously carried on.

By order of
A. G. CURTIN,
Governor and Commander in Chief.
A. L. RUSSELL, Adj. Gen., Penn'a. de6-3t

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Purviance's Photograph Rooms, corner of Fifth and Market streets, second and third stories, over Richardson's jewelry store, Pittsburgh, Pa. Photographs of every style, plain or colored, from the popular carte de visite to cabinet and life-size. Mr. Purviance would particularly call the attention of the aged and infirm to the easy accessibility of this establishment, being reached by a single short flight of stairs. Prices moderate, and satisfaction guaranteed.

The Daily Commercial.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1864.

Correspondence on matters of public interest is solicited and will be thankfully received from our friends in all parts of the country, when accompanied by responsible names. More especially whatever relates to the discovery and production of oil, the development of oil lands and reliable oil intelligence in general, will be acceptable and is desired. Events of local interest mechanical and agricultural results inventions and improvements of every description, clearly and briefly described, are solicited. To secure attention, communications should be brief, entirely reliable, and sent as promptly as possible.

Letters concerning the business departments of the newspaper or printing office should be addressed to the Business Manager. Communications designed for the paper should be addressed to The Editor.

Pledges of British Faith.

It doubtless has attracted the attention of the intelligent reader and impressed itself on the understanding of men everywhere, that Englishmen have lately become loud in their protestations of faith towards the United States, but continue to send forth from British dockyards Anglo-rebel cruisers to prey on American commerce. On the seizure of the *Florida* in a neutral port, English regard for international law was particularly aroused, but facts show that, although pledged to strict neutrality, English vigilance to protect English honor is not so great that rebel pirate ships have not in the boldest manner continued to depart from English ports, as though it was the settled policy of England to keep the number good. A couple of quotations from English journals by the last steamer will illustrate this point completely. They are as follows:

[From the London Index.]

We have much pleasure in being able to state that almost at the same time when the Florida was treacherously seized in Bahia harbor, the Confederate flag was hoisted on a new cruiser, at least the equal of the Florida in armament, speed and general efficiency. The Shenandoah starts upon her career with every prospect of emulating the fame of her predecessors. She is commanded by Lieut. Waddell, Confederate States navy, and a gallant staff of officers. Having received her crew and armament—everything, in fact, that constitutes her a belligerent vessel—on the high seas, far beyond any neutral jurisdiction, there can fortunately be no pretence of accusing her of any violation of municipal laws or international obligations.

[From the Liverpool Courier.]

We received a letter yesterday from part of the crew of the Sea King, who returned to England in the African steamer Calabar. The men state that the Sea King is now called the Shenandoah, and that Captain Semmes was pointed out to them as the Captain of the vessel. They state, also, that the Sea King hoisted the Confederate flag, and that one was offered eighteen pounds per month to join the ship.

It is not necessary to change any previous opinions concerning the French Emperor, nevertheless, the facts present the course of that nation in a very favorable light in contrast with Great Britain. Not only has not one rebel pirate ship left a French port—all attempts, through the faithful vigilance of the government, having failed utterly—but the same thing is true of blockade runners. England enjoys a complete monopoly of the piratical business, and stands alone as a violator of pledges of neutrality and the settled principles of international law.

These hard facts will tax severely the sophistry and special pleading of Mr. GOLDWIN SMITH, the Christian gentleman at present in this country, apparently for the purpose of bamboozling our people into overlooking these and many other things equally inconsistent with truth and honor.

The Boston Printers and the Boston People.

Really the Boston people appear to be prepared for almost any emergency that may rise. When the rebellion first broke out they were first on the road, spilt the first blood and have been first to fill their quota ever since. This is far from exhausting them, however, as the facts attending a recent strike on the part of the newspaper compositors in that city serves to show. The compositors struck, it matters not for what; their aim was to control the business arrangements of their employers. The employers protested, and that protest met with a spontaneity on the part of the people which was perfectly refreshing. Not that the people liked the compositors less, but they loved fair play more. We will quote interesting instances of the feeling of the people on the subject. The *Traveller*, as soon as its readers heard of the strike, received the following letter:

BROOKLYN, December 1.

Messrs. Editors: When Mayor Elliot disbanded all the fire engine companies of Boston, and called for volunteers, I offered my services, and performed duty under Capt Grenville Sears, until new companies were formed.

Now I see that you are in trouble, and want a *lift*.

"I can promise you that I am a 'capable compositor,' as brother Brewster, of the Portsmouth *Journal* has testified; but I have not been swift since the CAPITALs have been brought down, and the long s's discarded.

When I was young, I was in the practice of putting into *gally* as many thousand ems as made a journeyman's day's work, before I went to dinner, and so secured the afternoon for myself.

If you want a journeyman, who is in his eighty-first year, just drop me a line by post, and I will be with you *tout de suite*, as the French say.

The letter had scarcely been received when the writer of it presented himself in person. The *Traveller* says of him:

With the exception of a few lines composed a number of years ago, he has not handled the composing stick for a period of almost sixty years.

Our old friend disencumbered himself of his coat in a "jiffy," donned an apron, and in an incredibly short time, for one of his years, put in type his letter without an error. Thanks for his generous offer; it shows that he has some of the old spirit left, and that he properly appreciates the true dignity of the craft. He has but one peer, the venerable Nathaniel Willis, now approaching his ninetieth year. They are the connecting links between Franklin and the printers of the present generation.

Professor Agassiz sent the following note to the *Post:*

CAMBRIDGE, November 30, 1864.

DEAR SIRS—I am willing to forego my paper as long as the printers' strike lasts, and I hope you will be supported.

Respectfully yours,
L. AGASSIZ.

"One fact is brought to light by this strike," says the *Traveller*, "and that is, the large number of persons now engaged in other business, who in earlier years handled the composing stick. We have received offers of aid from merchants, bank officers, clergymen, soldiers, and, in fact, from all classes in the community."

This reminds us of the letter which ADDISON wrote in his *Spectator* when the tax was put on every article of consumption in the days of Queen ANNE, in which he says: "A large family of daughters have drawn me up a very handsome remonstrance, in which they set forth that their father, having refused to take the *Spectator*, since the additional price was set on it, they offered him, unanimously, to abate him the article of bread and butter in the tea-table account, provided the *Spectator* might be served up to them every morning as usual. Upon this, the old gentleman being pleased, it seems, with their desire of improving themselves, has granted them the continuance both of the *Spectator* and their bread and butter, having given particular orders that the tea-table shall be set forth every evening with its customary bill of fare, and without any manner of defalcation."

Considering the offers made by the newspaper proprietors of Boston, we deem the compositors who stood out certainly not the wisest of men.

THE statement of the London correspondent of the New York *Herald*, that a contract has been made between the rebel Government and Alex. Collins & Co., of London, for 25 000 Enfield rifles, at the price of 400 pounds of baled cotton each, the guns to be delivered in some part of the Confederacy, is an excellent minor illustration of the effectiveness of our blockade and British idea of honorable neutrality. Under this contract the rebels would pay for each rifle cotton worth more than $500 in greenbacks. Our Government can obtain at least 20 Enfield rifles for the same price. The difference between the cost of such a rifle to us and to the rebels may be set down safely to the effectiveness of our blockade.

THE Indianapolis *Journal* says that during his recent absence in the East, Governor Morton made arrangements for the payment of the January installment of interest on the Indiana State debt. The suspicious flight of John C. Walker, the rebel State Agent, will, therefore, make no more difference in the honest discharge of the State's obligations than his presence has heretofore done.

NEW COUNTERFEIT.—A counterfeit has just made its appearance. It is a genuine one dollar note on the Farmers' Bank of Lancaster altered to a ten.

DIVORCES Legally Procured for persons from every State without publicity or change of residence. Incompatibility, Desertion, &c., sufficient cause. All cases guaranteed. Advice free and confidential.

The foregoing is the copy of an advertisement which appears regularly in the columns of a respectable daily in New York, and is one of the many indications of the social condition of that and other large cities; and as such, is a fearful commentary upon the morals of the community. If we dared to lift the veil in these columns and describe the whole of the interior machinery of the tremendous iniquity of which the foregoing advertisement is the index, our readers would hardly credit the statements which the truth would be compelled to unfold. The opening facts which meet the reader's eye are, that the marriage tie is plundered of its solemnity, that the virtue and chastity of our sisters and daughters are to be subjected to the flanking operations of vice in its most satanic forms. Young men, in order to rid themselves of the annoyance of being brought into court on charges of illegitimate paternity or abandonment, fortify themselves against evil consequences by marrying their giddy and too confiding victims; then leading them into associations where iniquity is the standard of excellence, and where the witnesses of shame are provided by contract "on confidential terms." Thus a young man of respectable exterior and competent means, is enabled to contract as many marriages, and procure as many divorces in the course of a year as time and other circumstances will permit. He can be married by clergyman or magistrate without the slightest trouble, and at the smallest expense, and the following day, or week, or month, may, by engaging the services of a lawyer, release himself from the sacred obligations of the marriage contract made in presence of God and witnesses, by what is termed a "divorce." Who ever heard of *incompatibility* being a just cause for divorce? In this case it means that she who would be the faithful and dutiful wife must, at the bidding of a base tyrant, cease to claim protection at his hand, or depend on him for support, either for herself or her children. A young woman, of refined tastes, who may have been wedded to an uncultivated man in the hope that she might mould his manners, as has frequently been the case, is to be turned adrift upon her friends or society, the moment her lord (?) of a husband gets the idea that he can find some person more suited to his mind, and that he can remove all difficulties by intimidating his poor wife with a bogus divorce. That is one phase of incompatibility and all the phases are just as valid, and no more so. The flimsiness of these divorces may be judged of when it is known that they can be and are obtained in Indiana State Courts, while all the parties are still resident in their own States, the necessary papers having passed through the hands of Commissioners of Deeds for Indiana, and through the United States mail. This is a source of great revenue to clerks and Judges in Indiana, for the business done in this line is more extensive than can be estimated. Now, whether such divorces are held to be valid in our State Courts or not, the practice to which we have alluded should be frowned down by the common sense of the people. If this course should be adopted, the appearance of such advertisements in newspapers would soon cease. We have merely alluded to this matter. To enter into the details of such wiles of iniquity is unnecessary. At this day the blank we leave can be too easily filled up.

The Washington *Republican* calls for capitalists to build one thousand dwellings in the "city of magnificent distances," and gives a few instances of high rents. On Massachusetts avenue, a gentleman put up two buildings under one roof, which at the present high rates of material, did not cost over $6,000. They have rented for $60 per month.

The plea for more dwellings is common to all Northern cities and villages, where, almost universally, notwithstanding the drain incident to the war, the demand is continually increasing. Precisely in what way this demand shall be supplied, is a question, it seems to us, for capitalists to answer. Nowhere else is the question raised in a more practical form, or more urgently pressed, than in Pittsburgh where to-day, in consequence of the scarcity of dwellings, hundreds, and, for aught we know, thousands of persons are debating whether to go or remain. The question is to be decided not by choice, for few would go could dwellings, at fair rates, be obtained. In the solution of the queston is involved, to no inconsiderable extent, the prosperity of our city. It is not a question that can be advantageously postponed. In other cities capital is seeking this description of investment—an investment, let us say, that derives its profits as much from the general prosperity and growth as from immediate percentages.

Railway Matters.

Mayor Chapman, of Baltimore, and a number of gentlemen of experience in railway matters, left that city on Wednesday for the purpose of locating the independent route to Cumberland, in connection with the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

The extension of the Tyrone and Clearfield Railroad is beginning to excite great attention in Clearfield county. The proposed extension west from Osceola is viewed unfavorably by the Clearfield people, as it is understood certain influences are at work to extend the road in such a way that Clearfield will be left about ten miles to the North. The *Journal* says:—"The proposed change of the route of the Pennsylvania Railroad, so as to avoid the Summit Tunnel, is also worthy of our immediate attention. If Tyrone is made the point at which this change of route will be commenced, the road will probably run through the Southern part of this county. In that event it would require but little effort to secure the erection of a road, to connect with the Sunbury and Erie, at the mouth of the Sinnemahoning. It would complete a road from Erie to Philadelphia seventy-five miles shorter, than by the route now in use."

The Bald Eagle Valley Railroad, from Tyrone to Lock Haven, connecting the Pennsylvania Central and Philadelphia & Erie Railroads was opened through, from Bellefonte to Lock Haven, on Thursday last, and trains are now about to be run regularly over the route. This road is about seventy miles in length, and forms an important connection between different portions of the State, and between the East and West.

There are rumors in circulation in Zanesville that certain important railway changes are shortly to be made in that locality. The *Courier* says: "We give these rumors to the public for what they are worth, not vouching for a single statement made. One of these rumors is to the effect that the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company, the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company, or some other equally reliable railroad corporation has in contemplation the purchase of the Cincinnati and Zanesville Railroad, and the purchase and completion of the Cleveland and Zanesville Railroad. The latter road, as our readers know, was completed some years ago from Cleveland to Millersburgh in Holmes county, a point distant about forty-five or fifty miles north of this place. The company at that time being unable to complete the road, as at first projected, from the want of necessary funds, and which has since then, passed out of the hands of the original corporators, into the possession of the bond holders. If such rumors have any foundation in truth, the change would be a most welcome one to the people of Zanesville and vicinity, and we earnestly hope that such a condition of things as these vague rumors indicate may be carried out and at no distant day."

The locomotive works of Paterson, N. J., have had a year of continued and increasing prosperity. The *Press* says:—"At the Rogers' works engines are in construction for all parts of the country. On the ruins of the old paper mill they are putting up a new finishing shop, nearly 100 feet in length by about forty in depth and one story in height, with pits for four engines or tenders. A small blacksmith-shop has also started among those ruins of Nineveh. These works, however, are only designed for temporary use; and in time may give place to others more in accordance with modern ideas. The site is a superior one for a large concern of the kind. At the New Jersey works, locomotives are building for the Erie, the New Jersey Central, the Northern Central of Maryland and several other lines. Some of those lately turned out for the Central road of this State are first-class machines in speed, strength and finish. That road is one of the best managed and profitable lines in this country. In the Danforth works they are commencing on a larger order obtained for the Morris and Essex road. The Erie company are also getting some freight engines built there as well as at both the other large shops. We observe that two locomotives built at Portland, Maine, for the Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, have been sold to the Morris & Essex company, and been sent to Paterson for alteration in the guage. That of the latter line is an inch and a half broader than the former, so that the wheels will have to be pushed out a little on each axle. The machines appear to be sufficiently strong; but the work upon them is not of the highest order."

The following exhibit of the earnings of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad for the month of November shows a flourishing condition. The road is ably managed, and enjoys an enormous freight and passenger business, which it deserves:—

Freight	$130,090 00
Passengers	81,000 00
Miscellaneous	9,062 63
	$220,062 63
November, 1863	177,652 97
Increased	$42,409 66

The hump-backed publication of Fleet street, London, has, in some manner, offended the editor of the *Court Journal*, and in the last number of that paper *Punch* is thus alluded to:—"There is a proposal to bring out a new comic weekly publication, which very creditably and honestly confessed its stupidity by its title, *The Ass*. It is to be established on similar principles to those which are at present characteristic of *Punch*, and with a friendly and fellow feeling. It is to be hoped *The Ass* and *Punch* will not be published on the same day, or how will the public know which is which?"

General Intelligence.

The Troy, N. Y. *Whig* says that so many oil wells are now being bored in various localities in Lansingburg, that it may be said that the speculation is being run into the ground.

The fishing season on Lake Erie may be regarded as near a close, as the fishermen in the neighborhood of Sandusky have generally betaken themselves to their "pounds" for the winter.

A sheep of refractory habits in running at random down one of the streets in Baltimore, on Friday, came to a halt in front of a looking-glass and picture frame establishment, and seeing its own face reflected in a mirror in the window, made a dash through the glass and tried to demolish the mirror, an enterprise in which it was cut so much that it "bled like a sheep."

The Troy, N. Y., *Times* says that "a clairvoyant female is said to be turning the heads of half the women in town." It this is a fact it is alarming. The half of the women in a town with their faces turned backwards would be a curiosity in church, especially if their faces were handsome. They would have hard work to "turn their backs to their friends."

"Cornelius O'Dowd," in Blackwood's Magazine, thus rhapsodizes on servants: "Why can modern mechanical genius do nothing for us? Oh for a steam-butler and a self-acting housemaid! Oh for a cook that a man could wind up like an eight-day clock, and never think of till the end of the week!"

United States Marshal Keyes opened a box found on board a blockade runner recently brought to this port, and discovered nearly one thousand five hundred blank commissions for the navy and marine corps of the Confederate service. They are beautifully engraved by Gates and Hess, of Liverpool, and printed on parchment.—[*Boston Transcript.*

During the month of November, 404 boats have cleared from Cumberland, Md., loaded with 43,980 04 tons of coal for Eastern markets, producing a revenue for the Canal Company of $41,565 80. For the entire season 2,245 boats have been manifested, carrying 245,476 08 tons of coal to Georgetown.

A correspondent writes as follows: "It may interest the public to know that the admirable Life of Washington, written for and published by the American Sunday School Union, and warmly commended by the late Chief Justice Marshall, Mr. Justice Washington, Colonel Richard Varick, and others, is now passing through a third edition in modern Greek, and is sanctioned by the Government for use in the public schools of Greece."

The last report of the Massachusetts Board of Agriculture unfolds the cause of the great emigration to the United States. The Secretary of the Board collected some facts during a recent visit to Europe, which, perhaps, will astonish many. He says that thirty-seven cents per day is the highest sum paid, the laborer boarding himself, in England or Ireland. In most parts of Ireland the farm laborer gets but twenty-five cents per day, and with this sum he must board and lodge himself; and even at this low rate he is not able to procure labor on full time. In Belgium the average price is about thirty cents per day, the laborer finding himself. In Bon, on the Rhine, it is about twenty cents per day. At the large Agricultural Institution at Goisberg, near Weisbaden, it is twenty-four cents per day. In and around Heidelberg, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, it is from thirty to thirty-five cents. In and around Cassel, thirty-seven cents per day. At the Agricultural College at Weithenstepeux, females are paid eighteen cents per day, finding themselves. These prices are for the season of harvest when prices are generally higher than at other seasons of the year.

The Detroit *Tribune* says that the deserters who have basely turned their backs upon the old flag, and fled to Canada, are coming to grief, and many of them wish themselves back again beneath its protecting folds. A large number of these erring, but repentant sinners, recently held a meeting at Suspension Bridge, which resulted in their forwarding a petition, asking that they might be received back to their respective regiments without being subjected to usual punishment meted out for offenses like theirs. Their condition is as pitiable as deplorable. Half of them are barefooted and not half clothed at this inclement season, and their only means or prospect of keeping body and soul together, is in working upon the Great Western Railroad, and other Canadian public works, at pay which scantily feeds them, without sufficiently clothing them. They are intensely unpopular with the people of Canada, who take every means in their power to crowd them back into the United States. On the whole, their condition there is tenfold worse than that of the free negroes. Their number is now about 5,000.

The editor of the Belfast, Me., *Journal*, after remarking that McClellan had carried three States says: "If another had been added, a republican man and brother across the way would not pursue his daily walks in a pair of boots that the writer will pay for. Such is life."

The Altoona *Tribune* learns from hunters, who have been in the woods hereabouts several times this fall, that deer have not been more numerous for several years in fact, not since the location of this town. They are all in a fine condition. Some of the heaviest we have ever heard of have been killed this season. Old hunters say that there are deer now in this locality which does not belong here, being larger, and the bucks having different shaped antlers from those usually found on these mountains. It is supposed they came hither either from New York State, or from the mountains of Virginia. Almost every train from the east brings hunters to the mountains, but we doubt whether all of them get sufficient venison to compensate them for their loss of time, railroad fare and destruction of shoe leather.

The Boston *Traveller* publishes a list of one hundred and three persons in that city whose annual incomes are above $25,000, as returned under the special income tax. Ten taxpayers in the Fourth district are assessed upon incomes of more than $100,000 each, after the deductions allowed by law were made. One gentleman, Mr. Nathaniel Thayer, has the comfortable income of $365,150. There are about thirty persons in the same district who are taxed on incomes of $50,000 and under $100,000.

Personal.

The Hon. Alexander King is to receive his commission as President Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District. The Judge is brother of Dr. James King, the accomplished physician of this city, late Surgeon General.

The San Jose *Mercury* says the wife of Jose Castro, of Monterey, has given birth to thirty-six children, all of whom are living together in that country. The first twenty are twins, each pair representatives of either sex. Of the remaining children eleven only were single born.

Enos Prizer, one of the editors of the *Bucks County Intelligencer*, died on Friday last.

The ex-champion pugalist of England, Jem Mace, has written a letter to the editor of *Wikes' Spirit*, indicating his purpose to visit America on a sparring tour, if he should receive encouragement to do so. He engages to exhibit his belt, and cups (seven in number); adds in a postscript that he has lately sparred before the Prince of Wales and the elite of British nobility, and thinks that his engagement in this country would be highly successful

The Orphans' Court for Baltimore County have been for some weeks busily engaged in binding negro children. They have adopted the rule that the parents' consent must be obtained before they will act, unless they (the parents) are manifestly unable to provide for their offspring.—*Towsontown American.*

Forty years ago, says the Mount Joy *Journal and Herald*, a Mr. Reidlinger, of West Donegal township, got a man to take his wife and children to Mr. J. D. Lindemuth, saying that he thought Mr. Lindemuth would keep them, but if not, they should be left on the Conoy Ridge. Reidlinger then disappeared, and was not since heard from til a few days ago, when he appeared at the house of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick Granton, an old man of eighty years. His wife had died a year or two since. While he could do his family a great deal of good he abandoned them, and now when he is helpless and needs assistance, he comes to be a burden to them.

An old man by the name of Scott, says the Indiana *American*, arrived at this station one night last week, after an absence of fifty-two years, nothing having been heard of him in the mean time. It appears that when he left this, he went to one of the Southern States, where he settled. He says he wrote several letters shortly afterwards to his friends here, but failing to receive an answer, concluded that they had removed to some other locality, and ceased to write. Lately the oppression of Jeff. Davis' Government bearing too heavily upon him, he resolved to seek the home of his childhood, and was pleased to find many of his friends and relatives still living. Truly the lost is found.

Mrs. Sherman, wife of the General, left Cincinnati on Friday, for South Bend, Indiana, where she is to spend the winter, superintending the education of their children, who are inmates of the Catholic institution of that place.

Gov. Curtin has been presented by Bishop Wood, of Philadelphia, with a solid silver medal, ten inches in circumference, commemorating the dedication of the Catholic Cathedral in that city.

On the 8th of November John Bright wrote to a friend from North Wales, where he was detained by the serious illness of his little son: "To day the great issue is to be decided. I think the 'Secesh' papers here are rather sick of their clients; and it is time the whole civilized and Christian world should 'spew them out of its mouth.'"

A PLEASING INCIDENT.—The Rev. Dr. Kendall, who recently returned from an official visit to California, communicates the following incident: "A poor little boy brought to the Sanitary Fair, held at Marysville, a white chicken, which was all he had to offer, saying it might make some broth for a poor sick soldier. He had decked his little offering with ribbons of red, white and blue, but he had no money to pay the entrance fee, and was rejected at the door. As he passed down the street, a gentleman seeing his distress, listened to his story, gave him a ticket and sent him in. The simplicity of the child and beauty of the offering attracted attention, and the chicken was put up at auction and sold for *four hundred dollars in gold* for the Sanitary Commission."

CITY MATTERS.

United States Christian Commission.

The Army Committee of Western Pennsylvania presents the following report of its operations for the month of November:

The following gentlemen have gone as delegates to the Army of the Potomac:

Rev. Byron Porter, Shelocta, Pa.; Rev. James Kelso, Monroeville, Pa.; Rev. Samuel Jamison, Elizabeth, Pa.; Rev. W. W. Hickman, Pennsville, Pa.; Mr. Cuthbertson, Cumberland, O.; Mr. Rice Boyd, ——; Rev. M. H. G. Fife, Connellsville, O.; Rev. S. Patterson, Deersville, O.; Mr. F. H. Iittis, Deersville O.; Rev. C. W. Swartz, Marlven, O.; Rev. W. Gaston, Smiths' Ferry, Pa.; Rev. Watson Hughes, West Newton, Pa.; Rev. J. R. Williams, Blairsville, Pa.; Rev. —— Kennedy, Blairsville, Pa.

TO THE ARMY OF THE CUMBERLAND.

Thos. R. Jones, Birmingham, Pa.; Robert Leifer, Hookstown, Pa.

Receipts of Army Commission W. S. C. C. for the month of November, 1864:

General collection meeting, Greensburg, Pa	100 00
Pittsburgh Synod O. S. Presbyterian Church	64 20 161 20
Mrs N K Neals, S S Class, Greensboro, Pa.	5 00
Bap. returned by delegate G M S	5 00
Mary Jeffrey, Shirland, Pa	10 00
Ladies of Richland township	3 00
J P Pears, Esq, Pittsburgh	50 00
S A S, North Washington, Butler co	10 00
A friend, Rainsburg, Pa	1 00
Mrs C P French, West Va	5 00
L C C, Madison, West co	45 00
J S Boyd, retd Delegate	2 00
J H Eky, do	11 00
Margaretta Brown, Wayne, Henry co, Iowa	5 00
L C C of Lemington, Pa	23 00
L A S of Allegheny township, Westmoreland co, Pa	13 00
Union U P congregation	55 75
Beulah do do, Manor Dale, 62 60	118 35
S A S, Elder's Ridge, Pa, O S	7 50
Ladies of St Andrews Episcopal church, Pittsburgh	50 00
Benevolent Society, Feed Spring church, Ohio	10 00
E C Sharp, Atwater, Ohio	1 00
S A S of Paris, Pa, U P church	89 60
Jane E Gray, Woodsfield, Ohio	2 50
Citizens of Steuben township, Crawford county, Ohio	10 35
Young Ladies Soldiers' Aid Society, New Lisbon, O	155 00
Soldiers Aid Society of Burrell township, Westmoreland county, Pa	18 60
M J Bowman, West Newton, Pa	2 00
Rushcreek Christian Commission Association, Bremen, Fairfield county	25 00
Neshannock Presbyterian Church, New Wilmington, Pa., additional	40 00
Cherry Tree Social Circle	20 00
Ladies' Christian Commission, Ligonier, Westmoreland county	20 00
Citizens Burrell tp, Indiana county	5 15
Estate Jno. Drain, deceased, Fairview, O.	95 50
Ladies Centre UP C, Smith tp, Washington co	240 00
Union U P Congregation, additional	10 00
L A S of West Greenville, Pa	43 00
Mary J Larimer, of Stewartsville, Westmoreland county, Pa	10 00
A W Ewing, $10; A W Boyd, $2; and a friend, $5—Uniontown	17 00
Mass Hill Baptist Church, Westmoreland county, Pa	50 25
Wm Read, Esq, Pittsburgh, U P	100 00
L A S Apollo, Armstrong county, Pa	50 00
L C C of Waynesburg, Ohio	30 00
Class No. 2 of Allen Sabbath School	4 00
J W R McVill, Armstrong county, Pa	5 00
L C C First Presbyterian Church, Steubenville, O	100 00
Third U P Church, Allegheny City	50 00
Valley U P Church	40 00
East Liberty M E Church	17 00
Smithfield M E Church, Pittsburgh	46 16
Wesleyan Methodist and Congregational Church, Pittsburgh	21 00
Ross street M E Church	8 88
Union U P Church	78 55
Simpson M E Chapel, Duquesne	3 10
U P Church, Manchester	62 15
Disciples Church, Allegheny	40 10
First Pres Church, McKeesport, L C C	214 00
First U P Church, Pittsburgh	87 50
First English Luth Church, Pittsburgh	323 10
S A S Cross Creek, Jefferson county, O	100 00
Cash, $2; cash, $1	3 00
Fifth U P Church, Pittsburgh	14 50
Baptist Church Library, Allegheny co	19 50
Pres, Evg, Luth, Eng, Ger Reformed and M E Churches, Greensburg	48 20
Miss E Welty's class, P S S, Greensburg	4 50
Reformed Presbyterian church, O S, Allegheny	48 25
1st U P church, Lawrenceville	27 15
Republican Supper, Connellsville supplies	6 00
Leetsdale Presbyterian church	21 27
4th Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	34 46
U P church, Temperanceville	12 00
Mrs Janet McConnell, Leclaire, Iowa	3 00
Mrs Rebecca Boyd, do do	2 00
Grace German Reformed church, Pitts	168 00
Ladies C. C. of U. P. church, St. Clairsville	125 60
M E church, New Wilmington, Pa	25 00
do East Brook, Pa	18 00
Forest Grove Pres church, Allegheny Co	17 00
M E O S Pres, and N S Pres churches, Edinburg, Erie County Pa	36 50
Oak Ridge Presbyterian church Ohio	15 20
Lovsville Union church, Perry Co Pa	11 00
M E church, Minerva, Ohio	4 20
do Freedom, Pa	19 95
Mrs Dunlap, Pittsburgh, Pa	5 00
M E church, Elizabeth church, Pa	7 70
Presbyterian church, Long Island	18 25
Highland church, (Pres)	13 21
J W Cree, Pittsburgh	5 00
Cherry Tree O S Pres church	20 25
Marion church	10 00
South Common and Beaver street M E churches	45 36
Alex Park, sr, Pittsburgh	5 00
Mansfield Pres church	30 00
2d U P church, Pittsburgh	333 70
1st Cumberland Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	27 00
4th U P church, Allegheny	100 00
6th Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh	43 00
Mrs Torrence, Jefferson township, Pa	5 00
M E church, Fairview	13 36
J N——, Kittanning, Pa	100 00
U P church, Cadiz, O	86 00
1st and 3d Pres churches Pittsburgh	2077 82
Soldiers' Friend, Paris, Pa	10 00
Mansfield M. E. church, Pa	14 15
Manchester Presbyterian church, Pa	39 95
Muskingum Presby'n church, O. S., O	60 00
St. Clairville, (O.) churches	6 90
Greentown (O.) German Church	7 50
Mt. Hope, M. E. church, Westmoreland co, Pa	6 25
U. P. church, Centreville, Butler co. Pa	25 00
Brookville, (Pa.) churches	105 10
First Presbyterian church, Allegheny	78 85
Presbyterian church, West Newton	26 50
M. E. church, additonal	8 00
Concord Presbyterian church	9 61
Braddock's Field U. P. church	23 42
Presbyterian and M. E. churches, Upper Sandusky, O	26 00
Prayer Meeting School House No. 1, Butler county, Pa	6 50
North church, Allegheny, Presbyterian	24 00
A friend in Pittsburgh	2 00
Conneautville Presbyterian church, Crawford county, Pa	39 60
Churches of Sheatleyville, Mercer county, Pa	36 50
S. Glosser, Wirtemburg, Pa	5 00
Soldiers' friend, Dunkirk, N Y	9 30
Bethlehem Presbyterian church, O	13 50
M E church, Waterford, Pa	42 85
Sharpsburgh (Pa) Baptist church	7 50
Birmingham M E church	15 02
Chartiers U P church, Cannonsburg, Pa	41 50
L C C St Clair U P church Allegheny co Pa	104 00
Oil City churches	80 30
Mansfield (O) U P church	15 25
Smithfield (O) M E church	8 90
Monroe (O) U P church	19 00
Unity (O) U P church	26 50
East Springfield (O) M E church	18 75
Amsterdam (O) M E church	11 25
Lawrenceville Presbyterian church	96 50
Plain's Presbyterian church, Allegheny Pres., Pa	15 20
Pine Creek Presbyterian church, Allegheny Pres., Pa	15 60
Liberty street M E church	33 28
Lawrenceville M E church	25 75
Round Hill congregation, Red Stone Presbytery	35 00
Long Run church, Westmoreland co, Pa.	41 55
John O Wilkins, Girard, Trumbull co, O.	6 75
Churches of Sharon, Pa	20 50
U P church, Hookstown	34 00
U P church, Tumbleson, Beaver county	43 50
M E church, Albion, Erie county, Pa	9 65
M E church, McKeesport, Pa	20 50
Welsh Baptist church, Pittsburgh	9 05
Church Leon, N Y	11 00
M E church, Fairview, O	20 00
Jacksonville, Pa, church	24 55
Crete do	12 00
McKean do	17 75
Presbyterian church, Duncan's Falls, O	10 00
1st German Eng Lutheran church, Birmingham	29 00
Twinsburgh, O, church	23 0
S A S, Berlin, O	25 60
Rev G F Ehrenfeld, Leechburg, Pa	2 50
U P church, Connellsville, Pa	2 50
U P church, Bethel, Westmoreland co	47 50
U P church, Bethel, Connellsville branch	18 20
Pres church Bethel, Allegheny co, Pa	15 00
Pres. Church, Freedom, Pa	15 85
do do Beaver, Pa	12 60
do do Uniontown, Pa	66 15
do do Youngsville, O	25 00
2d Pres. Church, O. S., Mercer, Pa	27 79
Congregational do	26 65
1st U P Church do	11 76
2d do do	26 15
Churches, Flushing, O	50 40
M E Church, Deer Creek, Mercer Co, Pa	4 00
M E Church, New Lebanon, Pa	9 00
Mrs Hannah Heitt, Briscoe, O	6 00
Punxutawney Churches	12 50
U P Church, Poland, O	25 05
Westfield Pres. Church	32 67
Juvenile Aid Society, North Beaver tp., Pa	2 63
Mrs A U Wright, Mt Jackson, Pa	5 00
Miss E J Wright do	2 00
Union Meeting, Coshocton, O	89 00
A H and F Smith, New Uniontown, Pa	1 25
M E Church, Canton, O	77 45
Concert by S A S, Hookstown, Pa	78 45
Presbyterian Church, Temperanceville, Pa	10 00
Presbyterian Church, Sharpsburg, Pa	56 92
Presbyterian Church, Lebanon, Allegheny county, Pa	126 00
Third U P Church, Pittsburgh	100 00
W S Young, Enon Valley	1 00
M E Church, Ligonier Valley, Westmoreland county, Pa	11 25
M E Church, West Newton	16 25
First Eng Luth, Pittsburgh, additional	5 00
Lutheran Church, Blairsville	45 42
Miss Evans, Edinborough, Erie county, Pa	2 00
U P Congregation, Mt. Vanover, Butler county, Pa	5 20
English Evang. Luth. Church, Butler co., Pa	5 04
English Evang Luth Church, Hainestown, Pa	4 46
English Evang Luth Church, Prospect	19 20
Miss C Begg, Allegheny	10 00
Christian Commission, Washington Pa	1,600 00
	$9,916 48
Amount previously acknowledged	94,566 39
	$104,482 87

The expenditures of the month have been:

For hospital stores	$978 89
For delegates' expenses	342 20
For publications	144 00
For freight, postage, &c	4 00
Total	$1,451 00

The following contribution of Stores have been received during the month of December:

1 barrel of apple butter, 1 barrel of onions, 2 barrels of dried apples, 3 kegs of pickles, and 1 box of stores, from the Ladies' Christian Commission of Congruity, of Westmoreland county.

1 barrel of vegetables from Miss Jane R. Reid, of New Athens.

1 box of hospital stores from the citizens of Dry Ridge, Westmoreland county; 1 box of hospital stores and 1 barrel of fruits from the Soldiers' Aid Society of West Mill Creek, Erie county.

1 firkin of butter from Richland, Hampton, and Pine townships Aid Societies.

1 box of fruit from the Soldier's Aid Society of Washington co.

1 box of hospital stores from the Lake township Aid Society, Mercer co.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Christian Commission of Washington, Pa.

4 kegs and 8 boxes of hospital stores from the Soldier's Aid Society of Berlin, Holmes county, Ohio.

2 boxes hospital stores from the Soldier's Aid Society of New Lisbon, Columbiana co., Ohio.

1 box of hospital stores from the Soldiers' Aid Society, of South Girard, Erie county, Pa.

2 boxes of hospital stores from the Ladies' Christian Commission, of Ligonier, Westmoreland co.

1 box of hospital stores from the Aid Society of Burrell township, and 1 box from the Sugar Grove Aid Society of Warren co.

1 barrel of apple butter, 1 barrel of pickled cabbage, 1 barrel of onions, 1 keg of pickles, and 1 box of fruit from the Ladies' Christian Commission of New Alexandria, Westmoreland county.

2 boxes and 1 keg of hospital stores from the Ladies' Christian Commission of Salem township.

1 box of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of Amity and Ebenezer.

3 boxes and 2 kegs of hospital stores from the Ladies' Aid Society of New Philadelphia, Ohio.

1 box of hospital stores from the Soldiers' Aid Society of U. P. Church, Lebanon. Also, 1 bbl of apples, 1 bbl of onions, 1 keg of pickles and 1 keg of butter, from the same Church.

2 boxes of hospital stores, 1 bbl of dried apples and 1 bbl of apple butter, from the Ladies' Aid Society of Cross Creek, Washington county.

4 boxes of fruit, 1 bbl of dried apples, 1 bbl of onions, 1 keg of pickles, 2 kegs of apple butter and 1 keg of saur kraut, from the Ladies' Aid Society of Pennsville, Fayette county.

1 keg of pickles from the Ladies' Aid Society of Erie, Pa.

3 boxes of hospital stores from Independence Society.

7 kegs apple-butter, 3 kegs pickles and three boxes stores from Ladies' Aid Society of Washington, Pa.

2 boxes hospital stores from Poke Run Congregation.

3 boxes kraut and 3 boxes vegetables from Soldiers' Aid Society of Richland, Hampton and Pine townships.

1 box hospital stores from Ladies' Aid Society of Saltsburg.

2 boxes do from friends of Christian Commission in Kinsman, Trumbull county, Ohio.

1 keg of fruit from Soldiers' Aid Society of New Waterford, Ohio.

1 box of hospital stores from Bethesday Sabbath School, Hanoverton, Ohio.

1 box do from Little Girls' Society Blairsville, Pa.

1 box do from Children's Soldiers' Aid Society of Canonsburg, Pa.

1 package of papers from Bethel U. P. Church.

1 keg of pickles from Miss E. Griffin, Mount Pleasant.

2 boxes hospital stores from ladies of Cochranton and vicinity.

1 box of do from Soldiers' Aid Society, of East Palestine.

1 package do from public school, Sharpsburg.

1 package do from Mary S. Larimer, Westmoreland county.

2 kegs apple butter, from Mrs. Major Wade.

72 jars of jellies and fruit, and 1 package of clothing from Mrs. R. Miller, Jr.

1 box hospital stores from Soldiers' Aid Society, of Webster, Pa.

2 boxes, 1 bag, and 3 kegs do, from Ladies' Aid Society of Washington, Pa.

15 bus apples, 7 kegs apple butter, 1 do pickles, 1 bbl potatoes, 2 boxes sundries—a Thanksgiving contribution from U P Church of Bethel, Westmoreland county.

2 boxes from Ladies Christian Commission of Alexandria, Pa.

1 box crackers from C F Russell, Jr.

217 boxes from C C, Philadelphia.

Also, contributions of clothing, fruits, and reading matter, from

W. P. Beck, Mrs. R. C. Bryce, C. M. Wilson, Mrs. M. Shieb, Mrs. Salisbury, S. Gill, Miss M. Aiken, Mrs. W. B. Lee, Mr. Cuthbert, Mrs. W. McClintock, Mr. M. I. Smart, Mrs. Snivley, Miss A. Thaw, Rev. M. Peel, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. J. Stewart, A Friend, Mrs. R. W. Murphy, C. McClintock, H. Whitworth. Also two wagon loads of vegetables and stores from citizens of Pine Creek, for Miss Shaw, at Cumberland Hospital, Nashville.

The following articles have been sent to our armies during November:

Shirts	896	Cans of Fruit	3805
Drawers, pairs	247	" " Milk	1086
Socks	210	Apples, bbls	146
Comforts	96	Vegetables	75
Pillows	241	Pickles	14190
" Cases	364	Apple Butter, gals	1594
Towels	177	Pickled Cabbage, bbls	6
Slippers	185	Sour Krout, bbls	4
Housewives	74	Butter, lbs	470
Mittens, pairs	756	Brandy, quarts	72
Handkerchiefs	670	Wine and Whisky, qts	130
Arm Slings	487	Sugar, bbls	2
Matting and Carpet, yards	246	Cider	4
Crutches, prs	510	Oysters, cans	41
Canes	172	Tea, lbs	50
Papers, pgs	430652	Large Books for Libraries	430
Magazines	395	Small Soldier Bks	4270
Testaments	1370	Envelopes	3086
Hymn Books	519	Writing Paper, rms	10
Psalm "	740		
Dried Fruits	3961		
Pens, gross	8		

The following in addition have been sent to Camp Reynolds, Western Pennsylvania Hospital and Soldiers' Home in our city:

Shirts	826	Cans of Fruit	271
Drawers, prs	85	Brandy, qts	37
Arm Slings	56	Wine, qts	64
Rolls Bandages	375	Grapes, lbs	24
Socks, prs	74	Oysters, cans	14
Slippers, prs	36	Apples, bbls	11
Matting, yds	92	Cheese	2
Oil Cloth	60	Vegetables, bbls	8
Scissors, prs	14	Pickles	4,200
Crutches, prs	108	Butter, lbs	142
Spoons	85	Sour Krout, bbls	5
Knives and Forks	84	Apple Butter, gals	46
Canes	57	Corn Starch, lbs	73
Paper, pkgs	4,590	Testaments	194
Books	984	Hymn and Psalm Books	643
Magazines	170	Pens, gross	2
Writing paper, rms	13		
Envelopes	3,460		

As winter advances, the demand for heavy under clothing increases, and although the contributions have been very liberal during the past month, yet we have not been able to keep up with the demand for flannel, shirts and drawers, and woolen sacks and mittens. We ask on behalf of our soldiers, contributions of these articles.

Send stores to W. P. Weyman, 76 Smithfield street.

Send money to William Frew, Nos. 172 and 174 Liberty street.

All letters concerning delegates should be addressed to Jos. Albree, 11 Wood street.

INTERFERING WITH AN OFFICER.—John Keller, was before the Mayor yesterday, charged by watchman Matthew Gillespie with interfering with him in his official duties in arresting a deserter. Keller is the proprietor of a drinking-house in the First Ward, and Gillespie had entered his house to arrest the deserter in question, when the proprietor interfered and committed an assault upon him and rescued the prisoner. Information to this effect was made, and still a third charge will be made against Keller for selling liquor on Sunday. He gave bail to answer.

DOUBLE CHARGE.—Jane Kennedy appeared before the Mayor yesterday and made an information against Hugh Kennedy, her brother, charging him with using violent threats towards her, and also with an aggravated assault by throwing her down stairs. The house in which the alleged threats and assault took place is on the corner of Wylie and Tunnel streets. The accused was held to bail to answer.

Gymnastics.—The Misses Haskell are meeting with better success than they expected and have been obliged to get a still larger room, and they have secured the commodious chapel at the Female College. As this will probably be the last season which they will teach this beneficial and life-giving system, parents and teachers should avail themselves at once of the opportunity. For particulars see advertisement.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.
The Directors of the North Western Mining Company of Detroit have levied an Assessment of TWO DOLLARS per Share on the Capital Stock, as the same may stand at the close of business on Saturday the 31st day of December, payable to the Treasurer on Monday, January the 4th, 1865, with interest added after that date. Eastern Stockholders may pay at the office of J. W. CLARK & CO., Transfer Agent, 44 Milk street, Boston.
JAMES M. COOPER, Treasurer.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1, 1864. de5-1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

U. L. A.—THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE U. L. A. will meet in the Fireman's Association Room, over the Market House, on TUESDAY, December 6th, at 10 o'clock a. m. A full attendance is urged, on important business. By order of THE PRESIDENT.
de5-2t

ATTENTION!
JOURNEYMEN TINNERS.
There will be a meeting of the Journeymen Tinners of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, THIS EVENING at 7½ o'clock, at the Eldorado Hall, corner Fifth and Smithfield streets. A full attendance is requested.
de6-1t

MISS ALICE HOWRY
Respectfully announces to her friends that she has just received, per Adams's Express, Jouvin's Kid Gloves, in light colors; black of same make. A new lot of Wash Leather Gloves of all sizes. Empress Collars in lace and tatting. Chenille Fringe and Gimp. Wide Black Guipure Lace, and several new styles Buttons. Zephyr Knit Opera Cloaks, Shawls, Sacques, Hoods, Gaiters, Mittens, Sleeve Buttons, Combs, and Sets in Onyx and Steel, &c. de6-1m

GYMNASIUM
AGAIN REMOVED.
The Misses HASKELL, having found the room which they had taken on St. Clair street, too small for their rapidly increasing patronage, and otherwise inconvenient, have secured for the winter the chapel at the Female College, where their classes will be amply accommodated. The next drill will be on Wednesday, at 3 p. m. Class Saturday morning as usual. Private classes formed, if desired. Instructions given in schools and families upon application.
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MISS ANNA E. DICKINSON
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SUBJECT—"A PLEA FOR LABOR."
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH,
SUBJECT—"MEANING OF THE ELECTION."
Tickets, 50 cents. Secured Seats, 25 Cents extra. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture commences at 7½ o'clock.
Holders of Season Tickets can secure seats without extra charge on Monday, December 12th, at the Library Rooms, between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock, after which seats, not secured by Season Tickets, will be sold to purchasers of single tickets.
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The estimated cost of the coal on completion of the Company's road, from the Pitt mouth to the railroad or river, delivered at the Company's yard, or along the Allegheny river, is less than
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TENNYSON CLUB LECTURES.
MR. J. E. MURDOCH,
The Celebrated Tragedian and Patriot,
Will give one of his unrivaled readings,
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This night. [illegible] The far famed
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CARDS OF ADMISSION.....50 CENTS.
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NOTICE.
Having disposed of my entire LITHOGRAPHING AND PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT, Nos. 17 and 19 Fifth street, to Mr. OTTO KREBS, [illegible]
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THE UNDERSIGNED having purchased of Mr. WM. SCHUCHMAN his Lithographic establishment, will, in connection with his Lithographic office, at the corner of Wood and Fifth streets, carry on the same, under the style of OTTO KREBS, [illegible]
OTTO KREBS.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1st, 1864. de5-6t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that the first meeting of the IRON MOUNTAIN MINING COMPANY, Incorporated Nov. 16th, 1864, under the general mining law of Michigan, will be held at the office of JONES & LAUGHLINS, No. 120 Water Street, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday, [illegible]
B. F. JONES,
[illegible]
J. A. LAUGHLIN,
Three of the Stockholders.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 5, 1864.

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All of the very best quality. For sale by
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J. C. BIDWELL,
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COMSTOCK'S ROTARY SPADER.
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J. C. BIDWELL.

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WILL BE SOLD
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To the highest bidder, at the time and places named below, viz:
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TWO HUNDRED CAVALRY HORSES at each of the above places.
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Sales to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m.
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All parties indebted to L. HIRSHFELD, are notified [illegible]
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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.
The Directors of the Modena Mining Company have levied an assessment of ONE DOLLAR per Share on the Capital Stock, [illegible]
JAMES M. COOPER, Treasurer.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1, 1864.

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The Daily Commercial

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One week	2 50	1 70	1 25	85	75
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Eight times	3 10	2 10	1 55	1 05	
Nine times	3 40	2 30	1 70	1 15	
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Three weeks	6 00	4 00	3 00	2 00	2 00
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Two months	11 25	7 50	5 65	3 75	4 75
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Death Notices, each insertion.....50 cents.
Marriage Notices, " .....75 "

The friends of A. D. Richardson, formerly of this city, the able correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, who, in company with Junius H. Browne and the correspondent of the New York *World*, were captured opposite Vicksburg in June, 1863, will be gratified to learn that there is a prospect of his speedy release from the Confederacy. We are informed that an arrangement has been concluded by Captain Schaeffer, of General Butler's staff, to exchange Mr. Richardson for E. A. Pollard, of the Richmond *Examiner*, and another rebel now in our hands. We hope soon to hear of his presence this side of our lines.

The American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions during the months of September and October received $78,323 62. Owing to the fact that this Board has never yet made a deliverance in condemnation of slavery and polygamy, both of which iniquities exist in some of its missions, a large amount of funds which used to go into its treasury now find their way into that of the American Missionary Association, a body which in addition to its foreign work, now has a wide field among the freedmen of our own land. All Christians who take an interest in the reconstruction of society in the South, and the establishment of the institutions of a healthy civilization, should support the American Missionary Association. It admits neither slavery nor polygamy into its churches, but labors persistently and consistently to do its Master's work.

A number of the citizens of Philadelphia have presented General Henry M. Naglee with a testimonial of their high regard for his gallant service during the campaign. It is in the form of a gold medal, which has been struck in France, at the Imperial Hotel des Monnais. The medal has been presented, and General Naglee has made an appropriate acknowledgment.

The tonnage of anthracite coal transports via Philadelphia, for the year now reaches 9,507,475 tons, against 9,094,012 tons to the same dates last year, being an increase of 503,463 tons.

William Hennessen, a notorious street guerrilla in New York, was sentenced on Friday to twenty years' imprisonment at hard labor.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ FOR NEARLY A QUARTER OF a century Matthews' Venetian Hair Dye has been extensively used, and in no case has it failed to give entire satisfaction.

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BANKS, DIVIDENDS, &c.

MERCHANTS' AND MANUFACTURERS' BANK,
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 21, 1864.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, agreeably to Section 2 of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act enabling Banks of the Commonwealth to become Associations for the purpose of Banking under the Laws of the United States," approved the 22d day of August, A. D., 1864, that the Stockholders of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank of Pittsburgh have this day voted to become such an Association, and that its Directors have procured the authority of the owners of more than two-thirds of the capital stock to make the certificates therefor by the laws of the United States.
no23-1m JOHN SCOTT, JR., Cashier.

CITIZENS' BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 28, 1864.

NOTICE.

The Directors of this Bank, in accordance with the 2d section of an Act of this Commonwealth, entitled "An Act enabling the Banks of the Commonwealth to become Associations for the purpose of Banking under the laws of the United States," approved the 22d day of August, A. D., 1864, having procured the authority of the owners of more than two-thirds of the Capital Stock to make the certificate required by the laws of the United States, hereby give notice that the proper steps will be taken to convert this Bank into a National Association, on or before the 1st day of January, next ensuing.
no28-1m GEO. T. VAN DOREN, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FOURTH NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PA.,
Pittsburgh, November 19th, 1864.

The President and Directors of this Bank, after reserving the surplus fund required by act of Congress, entitled an act to "provide a National Currency," approved June 3d, 1864, and also reserving an additional surplus fund, have this day declared a dividend out of the profits of the last six months of THIRTEEN DOLLARS PER SHARE, free of United States tax, payable forthwith.
S. D. HERRON,
no28-2w Cashier.

OFFICE OF MONONGAHELA INSURANCE CO.,
November 19th, 1864.

AN ELECTION

FOR DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY,

will be held at the office, No. 98 Water street, on TUESDAY, December 6th, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. JOHN H. CLANEY,
no21-14t Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. Co.,
PITTSBURGH, November 22, 1864.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company in Pittsburgh, on the 15th day of December next, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering a contract with the Mahoning and French Creek Railroad Company for the lease and extension of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, and to ratify or reject the same. By order of the Board.
no23-1m FELIX R. BRUNOT, President.

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U. S. 1881 Bonds, at cost	26,031 25
Office furniture	217 50
Interest accrued	3,470 93
Cash on hand	21,556 06
Total assets	$273,501 27
LIABILITIES.	
Due to Depositors	$256,750 33
Due to Depositors, interest, Nov. 1, 1864	5,915 38
Contingent Fund (balance)	10,835 66
	$273,501 27

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CITY MATTERS.

ANNUAL MEETING—ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company convened at eleven o'clock on Monday morning, at the office of the Company on Fourth Street.

The meeting was organized by calling J. C. Cummings, Esq., to the Chair, and appointing Mr. John H. Page, Jr., as Secretary of the meeting.

Benjamin F. Latrobe, President of the Company, briefly stated the object of the meeting, after which he read the twelfth annual report, giving a full and satisfactory exhibit of the affairs of the corporation. The report is a very lengthy and minute document, which we regret we have not space to publish entire. From it we learn that the gross revenue of the road for the past year was $315,922 87, of which the 49 miles between Turtle Creek and Connellsville and Brinton Junction earned $205,943, the 10 miles between Port Perry and Pittsburgh $89,142, and the 12½ miles from Uniontown $20,836. During the year the expenses were $200,572; adding salaries and miscellaneous expenses, $13,781, there would be a total of $214,354, leaving a net revenue of $101,563. This net income is accounted for in the report as follows:

New Locomotive Engines		$9,993 73
Depot Buildings		3,180 75
Machine shops and engine houses		5,317 61
Shop Machinery		2,830 35
Water stations		1,828 61
Passenger cars		7,744 56
Freight cars		11,561 99
Coal and coke yards		5,448 67
Iron rails for new track		2,196 60
Telegraph line		2,252 90
U. S. Gov't tax on passengers	$3,617 67	
Penn'a tonnage tax	425 34	
Tax on real estate	3,833 09	
		7,876 10
Baltimore loan sinking fund		7,800 00
Coupons, C. B's, T. C. Division		17,886 18
Real estate, ground rents and interest		4,882 36
Right of way claims settled		6,436 12
Preparing road for contract		2,059 06
Interest on floating debt		2,280 13
Total		$101,568 72

From the report of the Superintendent we gather the following facts: Passengers carried, 395,843, yielding a revenue of $145,411, being an increase in revenue over preceding year of 44½ per cent. The revenue derived from freight was $160,940, an increase of 47¾ per cent. The mail receipts were $3,650, same as last year. The total revenue of the past year having been $315,887, and that of the previous year $215,587, the increase is $100,300 or nearly 47 per cent. The increase in the passenger business is largely on the increase, amounting to 50½ per cent. in number and 44½ in earnings.

The report, as before remarked, is very elaborate, and winds up with a review of the late Legislature at Harrisburg, through which it is proposed to deprive the company of its chartered rights, and the influence through which it was accomplished. As our readers are familiar with the circumstances attending this attempted injustice, however, we need not go into details here. It is enough to say that the Board denounce the whole proceedings in fitting terms, and have already applied to the courts for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the act through which it is attempted to annul the charter of the company. The Board state that but for this legislation the entire road to Cumberland would now be under contract, but that until a legal decision in the matter is had they cannot now go on with the work. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, the Directors say, adhere firmly to their engagement to supply the means of proceeding with the construction of the road the moment the way is opened by the removal of the present legal impediments, but until this is accomplished nothing can be done.

The report was accepted and ordered to be printed, after which Mr. King, Auditor of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, addressed the meeting at some length, stating that but for important military movements which were now taking place, Mr. Garrett, President of the Baltimore and Ohio Road, could be here to pledge the support of that corporation to the Connellsville road in completing the line to Cumberland. The Baltimore and Ohio Company was ready, the moment the legal impediments were removed, to furnish the means to complete the road, and it would not be necessary to wait to negotiate the bonds as originally contemplated; the money would be advanced at once.

Mr. J. M. Cooper followed in an address, showing the importance of completing the road, and was followed by Z. Street, of Salem, O., who made a brief speech to the same end. The gentleman closed by offering the following resolution:

Resolved, That the incoming Board be requested to prosecute with all possible dispatch the suit now pending in the United States Court, to a favorable decision if possible, and if necessary to progress with the work as speedily as men and means can be had.

Several gentlemen spoke on the resolution, all urging the importance of finishing the line to Cumberland, and it was adopted by acclamation. Mr. Latrobe next read a paper detailing his connection with the road as its President, and offering various suggestions as to its future management. At the conclusion of his remarks, the meeting tendered him an unanimous vote of thanks. The meeting then resolved to go into an election of Directors, which resulted as follows: William Oden Hughart, Joseph Pennock, Cyrus Myers, C. S. B. Fetterman, Jno. Fleming, Wm. Phillips, Wm. Baldwin, C. O. O'Donnell, John Hopkins, Benjamin Deford, Joseph R. Malston, W. W. Taylor.

The Board of Directors elect met at four o'clock in the afternoon, and elected the following officers to serve during the ensuing year:

Wm. Oden Hughart, President.
Jno. H. Page, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer.
Wm. B. Stout, Superintendent.
Geo. Shiras, Solicitor.

THE EXPLOSION AT ALLEGHENY ARSENAL.—The Treasurer of the Committee, at Lawrenceville, appointed to receive subscriptions for the erection of a monument to the memory of those who perished by the terrible catastrophe at the Arsenal, respectfully submits the following report of money received and expended, viz:—

Am't. previously reported (Feb. 16, 1864)	$241 70
William Brown	1 50
William King	2 00
L. B. Turney	20 00
Mrs. Douglass	5 00
P. H. Laufman & Bro	5 00
Hon. J. K. Moorhead	10 00
M. C. McCarthy	100 00
Hon. Alfred Slack	5 00
McFarland Lodge, I. O. of O. F.	5 00
Mount Moriah Lodge, I. O. of O. F.	3 00
St. Johns Lodge, I. O. of O. F.	5 00
Hon. G. H. Stewart	5 00
The members of Hampton's and Thompson's Batteries (Army of Potomac)	86 50
Cash	5 00
Major General Meade and Staff	30 7[illegible]
Employees, Watertown Arsenal, Mass.	40 00
W. P. Wilstach & Co., Phila., Pa.	100 00
Duquesne Lodge, I. O. of O. F.	8 00
Day Spring Lodge, do.	3 00
William Tell Lodge, do.	5 00
St. Clair Lodge, do.	61 00
C. C. Boyle, Esq	5 00
Mr. Vogle	5 00
Cash	5 00
Employees Washington Arsenal, D. C.	170 00
Total	$932 45
Expended for circulars, telegraphs, &c.	57 63
Remaining in the Treasury	874 82
Subscribed, and not yet paid in	218 00
Aggregate	$1,092 82

In addition to the above Mr. Purviance made a donation of twenty dollars in photographs of the proposed monument, all of which have been used in obtaining subscriptions.

M. M. BOSWORTH, Treasurer.

There will be a meeting of the friends and relatives of the sufferers, at Wesley Chapel, Liberty street, Pittsburgh, on the 7th inst., at 5 o'clock, P. M.

W. H. ANDREWS, Chairman.

SECOND HAND CLOTHIER IN TROUBLE.—E. Le Roy was before the Mayor yesterday under the following circumstances: Mr. Alex. McClurg, a well known citizen, who boards at the St. Charles Hotel, discovered yesterday that some thief had stolen a valuable overcoat from him whilst at dinner. One of the young men attached to the house was immediately dispatched to the various pawnbrokers' offices to see if the coat had been disposed of. At Le Roy's a coat had just been purchased, which the young man was not quite sure was McClurg's, and the owner of the coat was sent for to identify it, when, as is alleged, Le Roy refused to let him see it. The coat is valued at $35. The accused was held in $500 bail to answer.

PREACHING IN THE CAPITOL.—A number of our city ministers have been invited to preach in the Hall of Representatives in Washington during the sittings of Congress. The Rev. Jas. Presley, D. D., is expected to preach there on the third Sabbath of the present month.

Public Amusements.

THE TENNYSON CLUB.—James E. Murdoch, Esq., the eminent elocutionist, entertained a large audience in Lafayette Hall, last evening, with readings from the works of Shakspeare—Hamlet, Macbeth, Julius Cæsar, and Henry IV. The readings in the ghost scene of Hamlet, and in the murder scene of Macbeth were worthy of the high reputation of Mr. M. His rendering of the parts fairly preserved the conceptions of the author, and the type of the times which he intended to present. But the merits of Mr. Murdoch need not be commended to this community. He is already well known to the people of Pittsburgh, and it is only necessary to say that he sustained his reputation fully, last evening. Mr. M. will give another reading in the same place this evening.

CAMILLE AT THE THEATER.—Camille, or the Fate of a Coquette, was produced at the theater last evening, in most superb style. We do not remember to have seen the stage so well arranged as it was on this occasion. Some new additions to the properties and scenery improved the effect of the performance to a great degree. Miss Matilda Heron was Camille, and, of course, this being her great *role*, she acquitted herself in a praiseworthy manner. Mr. Rankin sustained the character of Armand Duval with marked ability, while Messrs. Dickson and Wentworth, in the characters of Count de Varville and Gaston Rieux, bore themselves with a demeanor which would be creditable to any stage. Camille will be repeated to-night. Arrangements are in progress for a change of bill to-morrow evening.

GOTTSCHALK.—Gottschalk gives his first concert this evening at Concert Hall. As these are his farewell concerts, we would advise all who can to attend, and not miss the musical good bye.

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	Bid.	Ask'd
U. S. 6s, of '81	105¾	
U. S. 5-20s	106⅜	107¼
U. S. 10-40s		100
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	97½	98
Allegheny Bounty 6s		97½
Allegheny County Scrip 5s		83
Pittsburgh 5s	80	
Cleveland & Pitts. R. R., 2d mortgage	103	
Connellsville R. R	83	84
Monongahela		40
Eureka		51
Allegheny	26	
Pennsylvania Insurance		35
German Insurance	17	
Cleveland	107	
Connellsville	11¾	
Connellsville Interest	12	
Pittsburgh and Steubenville		11
Allegheny Bank	64	65½
Dalzell		9⅝
Allegheny and Pittsburgh		10
Columbia		82
Fleming & Blood		5⅝
Germania	4½	
Oil Creek and Cherry Run	3.32	
Rynd Farm		5¾
Buck Creek	25	
McAboy & Cherry Run		1.05
Cherry Run Central	1.65	1.80
Cherry Run and Pittsburgh Pet. Co.		1.00
Federal		1.30
Cherry Run & Blood Farm	1.60	
Blood Farm and Ohio		2.10
Culbertson		2
Paxton Petroleum Co.		5½
West Virginia Basin		4½
Oil Creek & P.		1.05
Phillips		6
Ritchie		1¾
Coal Bluffs Mining Company		2

Philadelphia Stock Exchange Sales.

[REPORTED BY CLARKSON & CO., BANKERS, PHILADELPHIA.]

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.

The market continues dull. Maple Shade, 35@39; Curtin, 16; Tidioute Island, 3; Dalzell advanced a shade, and is held at 9½.

MONDAY, Dec. 5—P. M.

The market opened languid this morning. Rumors are afloat about the wells belonging to two new companies organized last week of a very contradictory character. It is certain if the wells of these companies are producing half the quantity of oil claimed for them, the stock which represents them ought to be at a high premium, and the companies able to declare forthwith from eight to ten per cent. dividend per month. The price of petroleum oil has enhanced on the European demand, and considering the present rate of foreign exchange holders can ship at great profit. We agree with one of our exchanges, that all responsible companies should advertise their properties, and give, through the newspapers, monthly statements, so that the public may not be deluded by the many bogus concerns which the spirit of speculation has brought upon the market. There is no question of the immense value of some of the oil companies' shares, but the managers of these owe it to themselves to set their merits fairly and honestly before the public eye through the journals.

—The transactions at the Board to-day were principally offering, and but one sale is reported, United States May Certificates were sold at 98. In oil stocks sellers were very firm, although the difference between the parties was quite narrow.

—Anderson's Afternoon Stock Exchange was liberally attended to-day. The offerings were quite spirited, but the parties were too wide apart in their views to make transactions. But one sale took place, and that was 500 shares of the Union Lubric Oil Company at 98, a very palpable decline in the new stock, even below par.

—Sales at the People's Stock Exchange, (T. A. McClelland's) December 5:

500 Cherry Run and Blood Farm	1 00
100 Lucesco	14 00
100 Ohio Valley	1 95
1,000 Ritchie	1 30
1,000 do.	1 25
1,000 do.	1 25
2,000 do.	1 25
1,000 do.	1 20
1,000 do.	1 20
500 do.	1 20
1,000 do.	1 20
1,000 Tarr, Story and Cherry Run	1 07

—Sales at Thurston's Exchange, December 5:

100 Banner	1 00
500 Ritchie	1 25
250 do.	1 24

Boston Shoe and Leather Market.

The boot and shoe market continues very active, and the improvement in business near the close promises to recompense, in a great measure, the short-comings of the beginning of the season. Western buyers are in pretty strong force, and taking seasonable goods wherever they can be found, quite freely. They are not so particular about prices as they probably would be if the stocks offering were not greatly reduced and very limited in extent. They have but little to complain of, however, on that score, as prices of goods are relatively lower than the cost of material. Thick work is getting scarce, and the supply is not likely to be much increased, as manufacturers have commenced on Spring styles.

Large orders are coming forward for army goods to fill contracts lately awarded in the Department of the West. Manufacturers are fully employed, between the Government and the regular trade, and find it necessary to put in requisition all their facilities to supply the exigencies of the market.

The leather market continues very firm, with a good consumptive demand for nearly all descriptions. It may be fairly presumed that this condition of things will last some time in view of the increasing exigencies of the military service, and the fact that the present stocks of boots and shoes are insufficient for the wants of the regular trade. Rough upper for grain finish is still in good request, and split leather, calf skins, and the lighter grades of hemlock sole, for Spring work, begin to sell moderately at full previous rates. We have no material change to make in quotations.

Hemlock sole is selling at a range of 36@41c, the outside figure for middle weights. Oak do at 53@58c for sides, and 57@60c for crop. Calcutta Buffalo is quiet at 33@35c. Rough upper selling at 37@41c for Hemlock, and 43@47c for Oak. Rough calfskins are in large stock, and dull at $1 10@1 25, for light and heavy; curried do, $1 50 @1 60.—*Bulletin.*

New York Dry Goods Market.

There is little or no change to notice in the features of the market during the week under review. Trade, as a general thing, has been quiet, and prices are without important alteration. The season is now so far advanced that buyers are disposed to limit their purchases to their most absolute necessities, and the absence of any important news from the army, only renders them still more cautious. Desirable styles of woolens and cottons, suited to the wants of the trade, sell well when wanted, but where holders exhibit any desire to crowd off goods to close up accounts (towards the close of the year), they can do so only by some slight concession in rates. Still, this cannot be regarded as a fair criterion of the market, as most holders are reluctant to submit to any decline, knowing full well that the stocks upon the market are rather light, and that they cannot be placed at any lower rates while the raw materials, and gold and exchange, continue to rule so high, and are likely to continue so, too, until we achieve some important and decisive victory over the rebels.

FOREIGN GOODS.

Business in this department remains quiet, but with gold quoted at 233¼ this afternoon there is no disposition to rush goods to sale unless at full value, especially desirable fabrics.

Black silks are very quiet but are firmly held. A limited inquiry only is noticeable for low priced goods worth $1 62½@1 70.

White satins of the medium and better qualities are in request at full value rates, as are crimson marcellines. Black lustrine are also in fair demand at $1 15.

Fancy low priced silks are doing better, and marcellines are being used to some extent for lining ladies' gaiters.

Silk ribbons are inactive, and the market for these continues somewhat depressed.

French merino and worsted dress goods are in good request, at very full prices. Mons de laines, especially, are scarce and wanted at 70@80c, more particularly Magenta and black colors. Merinoes are also in good request for desirable scarlet and wine colors.

Black alpacas and Italian cloths of low and medium grades have been in good demand for clothing purposes, at full prices, say 50@75c.

Irish and Dundee linens are not much sought after, but with light importations holders generally are firm.—*Economist.*

Boston Pig Iron and Lead Market.

Iron—The market for Pig is steady; the advance in gold has rather checked the sales of foreign, and the domestic article is selling at full previous rates. We note sales of Scotch No. 1 Gartsherrie brand, at $63@65 ℘ ton, cash; American No. 1 is selling at $63@67 ℘ ton. Bar Iron is in moderate demand; sales of common at $190@200; refined at $200@225 ℘ ton. English Sheet is selling in lots from store at 10@11½c, and Russia do at 28@31c ℘ ℔, cash. Nails in fair demand at 9¼@10c ℘ ℔, cash, for assorted sizes.

Lead—The market is a shade firmer for Pig, and better rates have been obtained in New York; but prices here are nominal at 15@15½c for foreign and domestic. Sheet lead and lead pipe are selling at 21c; old lead at 12c, cash, and 14c in exchange for new.—*Bulletin.*

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL,
Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1864.

Business was not very active yesterday. The demand was principally local. The receipts of produce was light by the river and rail, and wagon receipts on Monday were limited as usual. The weather continues very pleasant, winter has not yet made its appearance. The landing at the Monongahela wharf presented quite a busy scene. The boats that arrived during the past ten days have brought up heavy cargoes of miscellaneous products. The Minerva returned to Wheeling with a fair trip. The Rowena brought up a heavy cargo; she did not get off last evening but will depart positively this day for Cincinnati. The banner boat Ontario is announced for Cincinnati on Wednesday, she being the regular packet. The fine packet Nevada is fast filling up for St. Louis; she will have dispatch. The Leni Leoti is the first boat for Evansville and Nashville. The Emma Graham, as usual, had a heavy cargo; she returns to Zanesville this day at 4 P. M. The Iron City, from Cincinnati, had a good cargo. The Starlight, from Louisville, had about all she could float under. The following boats are at the landing waiting their turn: Kate B. Porter, Onward, J. R. Gilmore, Roanoke and Hard Times. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice:

LARD OIL—We have nothing new to note in regard to this article. The market was firm at the advance we have previously mentioned. Sales 10 bbls No. 1 at $1 95; 5 do No. 2 at $1 80 ℘ gallon.

CRANBERRIES—The market was very firm, with a fair demand; sales of 10 bbls at $24 50, and 4 do at $25 00.

APPLES—The demand was steady and sales were regular. Prices are evidently looking up. The sales were: 250 bbls at $3 25, and 75 bbls do, Russetts, at $3 25@3 50, the latter figures for choice.

HAY—The market was unchanged; sales of 10 tons, baled, at $42 00. Prices at the scales were unchanged.

POTATOES—We have nothing new to note in regard to this article. The demand was fair and sales were regular. The principle enquiry was for the better qualities. Sales of 175 bush, Peach Blows, at 95c; 25 bbls do at $3 00@3 25, as per quality.

FISH—Was steady with a fair demand; sales of 12 bbls Portland Herrings at $12 50.

BACON—The stock of new bacon on hand is not large. Prices have undergone no change. Small parcels were disposed of at, shoulders 20c; sides 23c, and sugar cured hams 25c.

DRIED BEEF—The stock being limited, sales were of a similar description at 22c.

LARD—Was in moderate request. We note sales of 20 tierces of No. 1 at 24c. Stocks were limited.

FLOUR—The market remains firm with a good local demand principally for local purposes. The receipts about keep pace with the demand. Among the sales we notice the following: Extra Family—50 bbls at $11 25; 100 bbls, from spring wheat, $10 90; 160 bbls at $11@11 25; 110 bbls at $11@11 25; 36 bbls do $11 25 (for Springfield): 100 bbls at $11@11 25. Country or inferior lots sold at lower prices. The exports East were fair.

GRAIN—The market was steady with a fair demand for certain descriptions. Barley is beginning to arrive. We note sales of 620 bush at depot, (Spring,) at $1 70; Fall would command $1 10 readily. Oats were in fair demand. All good parcels offered find ready purchasers. Sales 650 bush at 95@97c; one car load at 98c. Wheat was unchanged; red, $2@2 05; white, $2 10@2 12. Corn was more inquired for. Sales 500 bush old, shelled, at $1 55@1 58; 200 do new, from store, at $1 35.

CHEESE—Was steady but prices were unchanged; sales 2,500 lbs choice W. R. at 22@23c.

BUTTER—The demand has fallen off; we note small sales at 40@45c ℘ ℔.

SALT—Was steady, but prices were unchanged, with sales of 200 bbls No. 1 at $3 05 per bbl.

EGGS—Scarce and in demand. They would command good prices.

Hog Products.

Burlington—The receipts of hogs just now are immense, which, with the mild weather, and unfavorable reports from Chicago, make the market dull and heavy. The following are about present prices:

Hogs weighing under 200 gross	$8 00
" " from 200 to 225 gross	8 50
" " from 200 to 225 gross	8 75
" " over 240 gross	9 00

CINCINNATI.—The Provision market is thus reported by Messrs. Phillips, Sledge & Co., in their circulation:

Our Hog market has ruled dull all the week, and prices gradually declined. The weather, the last four days, has been warm, and unfavorable for packing, and Hogs have accumulated in the pens until there is now a very large stock of live Hogs now on hand, awaiting buyers, which owners have to feed until the weather is more favorable for killing. The military restrictions have been entirely removed from the farmers of Kentucky sending their Hogs to this market, and the receipts from that State have been very large, and the indications are that this market will continue to receive a liberal supply from Kentucky. The receipt of Hogs at this point during the past seven days, comprise 56,700 head, the closing at $13 13¾ for 175 to 190 lbs., average net, $13 50@13 74 for 200 to 210 lbs., net, and $13 for extra heavy.

Prime Lard continues in moderate demand at 22c for best city brands, with fair sales. Some prime country sold at 21½c. Head and Gut Lard 20¼@21c, and dull. Keg Lard nominal at 25c. Greases unchanged, and firm at 14½c for brown; 16@17c for yellow; 18¾@19c for white. The shipments of Lard, during the week, comprise 990 tierces. Lard Oil steady at $1 80@1 85 for extra. Star Candles dull and unchanged. Smoked Meats nominal at 22c for clear ribbed Sides, and 21c for ribbed Sides. No Shoulders or clear Sides offering. Old Hams have been in fair demand, and the stock is now very small. We quote 21½@22c as the ruling prices. New bulk Meats 17½c, loose, for Sides, and 15@15½c, packed, for Shoulders, 15 to 20 days in salt. Hams in sweet pickle 18c. Green Meats dull at 12½@12¾c for Shoulders, 15¾@16c for Sides, and 16½@18½c for Hams. Mess Pork declined to $36 for new and old city; some country lots sold at $35. Prime Mess nominal at $33@33 25. Rump Pork $29@30. Prime Tallow 17¼@17½c in new hhds.

Boston Wool Market.

The wool market has been buoyant and active during the last week, and the sales have equalled, if not exceeded, those of any previous week of the season. Manufacturers, with at length a full compliment of motive power, seem to have started up with common consent, and come into the market with a will to operate for supplies of raw material. Some of the heaviest of them, who were pretty nearly run out of staple, and who could not lie idle with the market nearly bare of goods, have been buying freely and in large lots.

Sales of domestic for the week foot up some 750,000 lbs, at the full previous range of 95c@$1 12 for fleece, and 90c@$1 10 for the different grades of pulled. The bulk of the transactions were at $1 05@1 10 for good medium Eastern and fine Western fleeces, including several large lots of choice Pennsylvania and Ohio at the outside figure. In foreign the sales have been light, mostly of the low grades for coarse fabrics, but including small lots of Cape at 63@65c.—[*Bulletin.*

Boston Boot and Shoe Market.

The Reporter says: A very good feeling exists in the market, and trade is active for the season of the year. The Western trade are ordering a large amount of goods and several dealers from that section are now here making purchases. Probably the largest order for the week was one for 140,000 pairs of pegged brogans to fill a recent contract in the Department of the West. Manufacturers are busy, but get out goods with caution, as prices of stock are rather unsettled, and manufactured goods not being as high in proportion as uncut stock. Makers of heavy boots and shoes are busy, and these goods are firm under orders from the Government for 60,000 pairs of pegged boots, and 300,000 pairs of pegged brogans for the Cincinnati Department.

The clearances of boots and shoes by rail and sea, for the week, have been 10,207 cases. Of this number 9,751 cases were sent by rail.

New Orleans Cotton Market.

November 23.

The large business of yesterday, which summed up fully 650 bales, has so diminished the supply that there was only a limited amount on sale to-day, while conflicting accounts from New York checked the demand. Hence the only transactions reported were 6 bales ordinary at $1 25; 5 good ordinary at the same; 30 strict good ordinary at $1 32½; about 45 bales of which we did not get the particulars; and 54 bales at auction, as follows: 1 bale pickings at 52½c; 40 bales, wet and dry, at 80½c; 3 ordinary at $1 15½; 7 mixed, good ordinary, at $1 25; 1 bale low middling at $1 33; and 2 bales middling at $1 35. Holders continue quite stringent in their pretensions, and, although the market was dull and drooping, we cannot report any actually falling off in prices, yesterday's improvement being very generally maintained.

Havana Sugar Market.

Nov. 26.

No change. Shipped from Havana and Matanzas 6,789 boxes, of which for New York 929 boxes, balance to European ports; the minimum of the year. Stocks remaining 127,690 boxes and 1,608 hhds, against the same period of 1863, of 60,655 boxes and 490 hhds. Molasses—contracts for new molasses will net the producers $10 to $20 per cask, very high opening for the season, and for clayed goods; old Muscovados held at 4½ rials per keg. Honey—a few lots in store, just received, at 4½ to 4¾. No freights. Rum, segars and leaf tobacco at the rates long established and known to the trade in New York.

New Bedford Oil Market.

Special Report for the Commercial Bulletin.

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 2, 1864.

The demand for both Sperm and Whale the past week has been quite active, both for export and home use. Sales of about 2,600 bbls Sperm, in parcels—100 at $2 02, 1,910 at $2 05, 540 at $2 10, and 50 (head) at $2 13—and about 1,700 bbls for export; balance for home use. Stock about 22,200 bbls. Sales of 1,875 bbls Whale at $1 40@1 50; 700 do Arctic, for manufacturing, at $1 50. Stock about 9,946 bbls.

In Whalebone, sales of 1,000 lbs Hudson Bay at $2 18 ℘ ℔.

New York Flax and Tow Market.

Flax and Tow remain at last week's prices. The old is almost out of market, but some lots are arriving, worth 30c; but little new will bring that figure. We quote:

Prime Old Scutched Flax	28@30
Prime New " "	25@28
Medium " "	22@25
Hand " "	20@25
Green Tow	2¼@2½
Coarse Scutching Tow	2@ 3
Fine "	7@10
Recleaned "	10@25

Boston Copper Market.

The market is quiet, but pretty firm at previous rates, with light receipts of crude metal from the Lake Superior region, owing to the great scarcity of mining labor. Small sales of Sheathing Copper at 65c, and Yellow Sheathing Copper at 45c per lb, 6 mos. Bolts and Braziers' Copper are selling at 65c, and Yellow Metal Bolts at 50c, 6 mos. Ingot Copper is held at 48@50c ℘ ℔, with sales in New York at 47½@50c for Portage lake, Detroit and Baltimore. Old Copper is selling at 45@47c, cash.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Money and Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

Money easy and steady at 6@7 ℘ cent. for call loans. Sterling Exchange quiet at 109¼ for gold. Gold quiet and without decided change, opening at 227, advancing to 229½, and closing at 228@228¼. Government Stocks a shade firmer, with more doing. Weekly Bank statement—Loans, $196,263,507; increase, $3,684,427. Specie, $20,273,919; increase, $25,203. Circulation, $3,870,321; decrease, $45,327. Deposits, $165,432,990; increase, $4,010,742. Stocks dull and lower. Rock Island, 104, B. 30; Toledo, 108½; Northwestern, 40¼, B. 30; do preferred, 75¼; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 109⅞; Ohio and Mississippi certificates, 35¾; New York Central, 120; Hudson, 16; Fort Wayne, 103; Erie, 93¼; United States one-year certificates, 97⅛; 10-40 coupons, 99⅞; 6's of '81, coupons, 114. Gold, 226¾.

At Gallagher's Board to-night the stock market was very dull. Gold 225¾, closing steadily. New York Central 119¾; Ohio and Mississippi certificates 35⅜; Erie 93¼; Hudson 115⅜; Reading 135¾; Michigan Southern 69¼; Illinois Central 128¾; Pittsburgh 110¼; Rock Island 103¾; Northwestern 45¾; do preferred 75¼; Ft Wayne 102¾; Cumberland 46; Quicksilver (mining) 86¾; Mariposa do 35¾.

New York Petroleum Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

Petroleum quiet at 47½@48c for crude; 68@69 for refined in bond, and 88c for refined free.

Boston Mining Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.

The prices of Mining Stocks bid in Boston today were as follows: Central, 50; Franklin, 48¼; Hancock, 8½; Huron, 40; Isle Royal, 18¼; Minnesota, 25; Rockland, 7; French Creek, ½; Canada, 1.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, December 5.

Cotton dull and heavy at $1 28 for Middlings. Flour—State and Western dull and drooping, at $9 80@9 85 for Extra State; $9 50@9 65 for Superfine Western; $10@10 40 for common to middling Extra Western; $10 95@11 10 for R. H. O., and $11 15@12 for Trade brands, market closing heavy. Included in the sales are 1,000 barrels of Extra State for the last half of January at $10 40, and 1,000 barrels do for the middle of January to the middle of February at $10 60. Whisky active and decidedly firm at $1 93@1 94 per gallon for State, and $1 93@1 95 per gallon for Western, closing at outside figures. Wheat dull and rather heavy. Chicago Spring $2 18@2 21, inside price for No. 2; Milwaukee Club, $2 25@2 26; Winter Red Western, $2 45. Rye quiet; Western at $1 75 afloat. Barley dull. Corn dull and nominal; Mixed Western was held $1 91@1 95, with buyers at $1 90@1 91. Sales of White Southern at $2 08. Oats decidedly more active and firmer, $1 01@1 03, afloat and in store. Hops 30@50c. Wool steady, with a moderate demand. Coffee steady. Sugar firm at 24@25c for Porto Rico, and 18@20c for Muscovado. Molasses was dull. Pork opened decidedly fair, but closed heavy, at $32 50 for 1862-63; Mess, $33 25@34 25 for 1863-64, do cash regular way, closing with no buyers at $34; $32 25@32 50 for prime, and $36 for prime Mess, also sales of 4,000 bbls raw Mess, 1864-65 for December, January and February, buyers' and seller's option, at $37@38 50, and 1,500 bbls, 1863-64, for December buyer's option, at $33 75@34. Beef steady with a moderate demand. Lard quiet, and without any decided change at 21½@23½. Butter in moderate demand at 35@48 for Western. Cheese quiet and unchanged at 14@22½ for common to prime.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.

Flour dull and firm. Wheat firm, at 168½@175c for No. 1; Common steady, at 95@100c for old, Oats quiet, at 63¾@53½c. Whiskey advanced 2c, and sales at 182c. Provisions firm. Pork, $34 50; prime mess, $31. Hogs advanced 25@30c; sales at $9 75@10 25 for common to medium; $10 20@10 75 for medium to prime; $12@12 50 for dividing on 200 lbs. Receipts—3,000 flour; 15,500 wheat; 26,500 corn; 42,000 oats, 11,000 hogs. Shipments—15,500 corn, 33,000 oats.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.

Flour dull; sales 500 bbls western extra. Wheat firm; sales 1,000 bush red at $2 50@2 55. Corn active; new white, $1 78@1 80; yellow, $1 83. Whisky firm and advancing.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL,
Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1864.

Business in the oil way was not very active. Buyers and sellers have different views in regard to the value of this article, both parties seem equally confident, the holder that prices will go up, whilst buyers seem equally confident that prices will be lower, hence they are not disposed to purchase to extent. Business on the Allegheny landing was active. The receipts of oil since our last were liberal. By the river, 4,139 bbls Crude, by the Allegheny Valley railroad, 117 bbls of refined was the amount, making a total of 4,256 bbls. The refined was all confined to the east. The receipts last week exceeded 2,000 bbls per day being 9,840 barrels of Crude, and 4,258 barrels refined. The present receipts would indicate a large increase over last week. Hereafter our readers shall be fully advised in regard to all receipts that reach this market. The departures for Oil City include the Urilda and Petrolia, passenger boats, with good trips, and the tow-boats Traveler, Picket, Brilliant, and Gipsy, with large tows. From Oil City we learn the following: Oil on the Storry Farm was firm at $10 50; on the Corn Planter Farm, $11 was the ruling price. Eastern buyers were plenty and are purchasing liberally. John Mawhinny purchased 350 barrels at the Cuba well at $11. This well is located on the Corn Planter Farm. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice, viz:

CRUDE OIL.—The market has about come to a stand still, the difference between the views of buyers and sellers being such that one or the other will have to give way before large sales can be effected. The heavy receipts yesterday would naturally cause buyers to wait and see what would be the next move; on the other hand, holders say that most of the oil now arriving is to fill previous contracts, and that the stock on hand is not large, whilst the demand for the western market is on the increase. The market, however, was inactive, and sales were small; 200 bbls at 40c, packages included; 300 bbls at 39c, same conditions, and 150 bbls at 34½, packages to be returned.

REFINED OIL—Was not active; the demand was principally for small lots for exporting West; sales 100 bbls Free at 80c; 200 bbls do, in choice packages, at 82c; 110 bbls do at 81c, and 100 bbls at the same figures.

BONDED OIL—Was unchanged, with prices ranging from 60 to 62c, as per quality.

NAPTHA—Unchanged, and sales in a small way at: Bonded, 19@20c; Free, 38@40c.

Oil Receipts per Allegheny River.

	bbls.		bbls.
Fisher & Bro	745	Pennock, Ball & Co.	965
D. F. Clarke	59	O. C. Brim	23
J. Gallagher	336	D. Blyth	333
Jas. Gallagheny	114	R. D. Cochran	81
H. McKelvey	520	Ardeco Oil Co.	564
J. Munhenny	469	Strickler & Baxter	229
W. P. Logan	101		
			4139
By rail			117
Total			4256

Imports Oil per Allegheny Valley R. R.

GOING EAST.

Waring & King, 67 barrels refined, for New York.

Whiteman & A, 50 barrels tar, for Philadelphia.

Latest from Oil City.

The river continues in fine navigable order, and boats make their trips with regularity. The oil market was firm with a large inquiry, and prices have further advanced.

STORY FARM.—The sales were made principally to Eastern dealers at $10 50 per barrel, being an advance.

CORN PLANTER FARM.—Holders were firm, and liberal sales were made at $11 per barrel. Eastern dealers were plenty, and they all wanted oil.

Territory is in demand. A few acres were sold on the River bank, a short distance above Oil City for $40,000. There is no well or improvement of any description. If there should be oil there, it will no doubt be forthcoming at the proper time. The buyer may do well with his purchase. The seller has done well. There is nothing like oil lands for making money, providing it is always in the right spot and the purchaser strikes oil.

St. Louis Pig Iron Market.

Iron Mountain No. 1, h b, ℘ ton		$75
" " 2, h b		75
Pilot Knob " 1, h b		70
" " 2, h b		65
Receipts of Pig Iron during past week	260 tons	
" " since Jan. 1, 1864	15,571 "	
" during same period in 1863	14,813 "	

Messrs. Choteau, Harrison & Valle quote—

Cold Blast (Car Wheel) ℘ ton	$80
Cold Malleable	90
Hot Blast, No. 1	70
" " 2	70

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh R. R.—Shomaker & Lang, 100 bbls flour; Chas B Leech, 100 do do; Graham & F, 100 bbls flour; Pennock, Ball & Co, 55 bbls oil; Nimick & Co, 3 cars metal; L H Voight & Co, 42 bbls cider; J C Jenkins, 328 sks oats; H Riddell, 44 bbls green apples; Godfrey & Clarke, 6 sks rags; F & D Crothers, 400 bbls green apples; W W Anderson, 401 bags barley; Owens & Kennedy, 24 bbls green apples; Noble & Angel, 636 sks wheat; Thompson & Knox, 155 sks wheat.

Imports per Allegheny Valley R. R.—Martin O & B, 1 car iron; W P Beck, 60 barrels salt; Kipp & Co, 35 do do, 25 do refined oil; C Knapp, 1 car hoop poles; Adams & A, 29 sacks rye; Mr Nesbitt, 50 sacks barley; J Brosson, 14 barrels cabbage; Lyday & Co, 29 barrels refoil, 2 e barrels; Mr Blyholder, 2 cars bark; North American Oil Company, 24 barrels refined oil; Janey & A, 25 sacks wool; Cooper & Co, 14 bags beans; J Schnider, 21 barrels whiskey; M & P Cain, 20 bags potatoes.

Imports per Pittsburgh F. W. & C. R. R.—J Rhodes, 176 bgs barley; J Bowen, 30 bbls turnips; S B Floyd, 1 car hay; Godfrey & Co, 25 sks rags; F Van Gorder, 8 bbls potatoes, 11 bgs do; G N Hoffstall & Co, 263 green hides; McLaughlin, 50 do do; J P Hanna, 50 tcs lard; Knox & Co, 50 do do, 50 do hams; E H Myers & Co, 25 tcs lard, 20 bbls hams, 4 hhds coal; W D Smith, 100 green hides; Dalzell & Son, 10 bbls lard oil; J L Reed, 9 bxs ink; Col Cross, 1,760 sks oats.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Zanesville.

PER EMMA GRAHAM.—518 bbls flour, 6 do flax seed, 16 bdles leather, 1 box do, 2 bbls cider, 1 sk wool, 4 bbls apples, Clarke & Co; 7 bbls apples, 1 do eggs, 2 do butter, 12 rolls leather, 1 keg butter, Fetzer & Armstrong; 2 pkgs tubing flacons, Fell & Co; 7 ale bbls, J. Rhodes, & Co; 134 bbls apples, L. H. Voight & Co; 9 rolls leather, John Bell & Co; 55 bbls oil, Joe Schofield; 1 grind stone, Alex. McCormick & Co; 4 sks flax seed, 4 boxes sundries, 7 bbls do, 1 sk roots, 15 head beef cattle, Twiggs & Matthews; 1 box sundries, 1 pully, Godfrey & Clarke; 3½ bbls molasses, John Smith; 1 bbl oil, B. F. Vandervert; 1 bbl butter, Jordan & Hollister; 1 bbl and 1 keg eggs; Graff, Bennett & Co; 20 bbls flour, Sam. S. Lindsay, Jr & Co; 6 pkgs sundries, H. Montah; 500 sks mill feed, Voegbly & Kopp; 79 oil bbls, W. P. Woldridge; 76 bbls apples, Potter & Co; 8 bbls apples, H. M. Lytle, 1 hf bbl butter, Bud Murry; 4 bbls scrap iron, Louis, Bailey, Dalzell & Co; 1 bbl meal, R. King; 1 horse and 8 boxes, Vasbrink; 1 safe door, Burke & Barnes.

River Matters.

Arrivals and Departures of Steamboats.

ARRIVED.

Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
James Reese	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Bayard	Peebles	Monon. city.
Emma Graham	Steele	Zanesville.

DEPARTED.

Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Jas. Reese	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Bayard	Peebles	Monon. City.
Minerva	Gordon	Wheeling.

THE RIVER.—Last evening at twilight there was nine feet seven inches of water in the channel, and falling slowly. The weather continues very pleasant for the season.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The splendid side wheel packet Rowena, Captain Dravo, being unavoidably detained, will positively depart for Cincinnati this day. Our attentive friend Captain A. Robinson will be found in the office.

The Zanesville packet for this day is the steamer Emma Graham, Captain Stull. She leaves at 4 P. M. Messrs. Hoge and Rowland will do the honors in the office.

The steamer Leni Leoti, Capt. Shepherd, is announced for Evansville and Nashville. Passengers and shippers will bear this in mind. Capt. Moore, who has charge of the office, will see that passengers are well cared for.

The splendid steamer Nevada, Captain Evans, leaves for Cairo and St. Louis on Friday. This boat is in the best possible order, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers. Capt. Rogers, who has charge of the office, will see that passengers are well cared for.

THE splendid side-wheel passenger steamer Rowena, C. A. Dravo, commander, is announced for Cincinnati this day. This boat comes well recommended, having superior accommodations. In charge of Captain Dravo and that prince of good fellows, Captain A. Robinson, she cannot fail to become a favorite with passengers and shippers.

THE BOAT THAT CARRIES THE PRIZE COLORS.—The steamer Ontario, Captain Harter, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. It will be borne in mind that last summer the ladies of the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair got up a splendid suite of colors, to be donated to the steamer that would collect and present the largest sum to this benevolent object. We take pleasure in saying that all our boats did well, but the Ontario, Capt. Harter done better, and carried off the prize—all honor to her noble and enterprizing owners. As this boat will leave for Cincinnati and Louisville on Wednesday, let us give her a big trip. She has done noble by our soldiers, let our shippers do the handsome by her—this time it can be done. We want to see her leave with one of the largest trips of the season. She deserves it.

Freights from Louisville.

The following are the prevailing rates of freight:

FREIGHTS TO NEW ORLEANS.

Pound at	1 50
Whiskey, oil and beer, per barrel	3 00
Flour, per barrel	1 50
Pork, per barrel	2 50
Lard, per keg	75
Apples, potatoes and onions, per barrel	1 25
Cattle, per head	20 00
Mules, per head	15 00
Sheep, per head	2 00
Passage	75 00

TO MEMPHIS.

Pound, per hundred	75
Apples, potatoes and onions, per barrel	1 25
Whisky and oil, per barrel	2 00
Passage	20 to 25

TO ST. LOUIS.

Pound, lots	50
Whisky and oil, per barrel	1 50
Flour, per barrel	1 00
Cement, per barrel	75

TO NASHVILLE.

Pound, lots	1 00
Whisky and oil, per barrel	2 50
Salt, per barrel	2 50
Flour, per barrel	1 25
Apples, potatoes and onions, per barrel	1 00
Pig iron, per ton	16 00
Passage	16 00
Ohio river freights to Henderson, per hundred	35
Below Henderson to Cairo, per hundred	50

WHEELING.—Monday's *Intelligencer* says:

The river was about at a stand yesterday with ten feet water in the channel. The Saint Johns left for Cincinnati with a good trip. The Geo. McPorter will take her place in the Pittsburgh trade to-day.

The Morgan (Ohio) *Herald* says:

The D. M. Sechler, the splendid new steamer, built at Portsmouth, expressly for the Muskingum river trade, is making regular tri-weekly trips between Zanesville and Parkersburg.

CINCINNATI.—Monday's *Commercial* says:—The river, here, is receding slowly. There is 15 feet hence to Louisville, and seven and a half feet in the canal. The Falls are navigable for light descending boats. The Lower Ohio is falling, with fifteen feet from Portland to Cairo. There is six feet and falling in the Cumberland. There is ten feet in the Kanawha. The Kentucky is falling slowly with fifteen feet from Oregan to the mouth. There is twelve feet in the Tennessee river.

The Anna, from Pittsburgh, was among the arrivals.

The Guidon left for Pittsburgh with a full cargo. Her clerk, Mr. Whittaker, left for Louisville, Saturday night, on the Darling, to close up unfinished business of the Guidon.

The Darling departed from Memphis, with another fine trip. Captain Batchelor having "struck oil," was in great glee. His interesting family accompany him. Our prayers, &c.

The boats due at Cincinnati, from St. Louis are the Armenia, Pilgrim, J. S. Hall and Kenton.

The steamer James Watson, under the nose of the commanding General of Helena, recently undertook to receive a cargo of cotton at a contraband port. The result was she was "gobbled up," and all the commanding officers on board placed under arrest, with a fair show for the confiscation of the boat. A portion of the non-commissioned crew arrived here on Friday and Saturday.

General Meigs issues an order that for the purpose of producing greater economy, efficiency, and uniformity in the transport service, Captain Arthur Edwards is detailed as General Superintendent for the purchase, construction, and repairs of all boats belonging to or under charter by Government, in the Mississippi and its tributaries, with his headquarters at Saint Louis, Missouri. Captain Edwards will from time to time visit all points of importance within his department of service, counselling fully with officers having charge of transportation, and suggesting such changes as would in his opinion be desirable.

The Cannelton *Reporter* thus describes a floating dock being built at that place:

It is two hundred and fifty feet in length by one hundred in breadth, having a solid outward wall of ten inch oak, ten feet in height at the ends, and thirty at the side. It is powerfully constructed, with five partitions of solid oak running lengthwise, and a proportional number crosswise, thus dividing it into chambers about fifteen feet square. There are to be in the work one million cubic feet of oak. The cost of the whole will not be far from one hundred thousand dollars. It will be towed to New Orleans at an expense of several thousand, and will take the place of docks which were burned at the time of the capture of that city.

LOUISVILLE.—The *Press* says—The river was rising very slowly with scant eight feet water in the canal last evening by the mark. During the previous twenty-four hours it had risen some two inches at the wharf, and five inches at Portland. The weather was cloudy all day and rather warm, with a light rain in the morning.

On the Falls last evening there were six feet of water in the steamboat pass, for descending boats.

The Kentucky river was falling yesterday at Frankfort, though at an excellent stage, and fully ten feet of water in the locks.

The Lizzie Martin is to load for Pittsburgh.

The Lizzie Martin, Emma and Lewellen arrived from Cumberland river yesterday, all light, but no boats are permitted to depart for that port. The Tyrone, Carolina and Huntsville, all partially ladened, are awaiting permits to Nashville.

Business at the wharf yesterday was very dull though our port list was heavy, with the following boats at the city wharf last evening: Huntsville, Caroline, Irene, Rocket, Ella Faber, Lewellen, Tyrone, Rose Hite, Phantom, Cordelia Ann and Alpha.

The Alex. Speer, a new boat from Pittsburgh, descended the Falls yesterday for lower ports.

The Vincennes *Sun*, of Tuesday last, says: The little steamer Nymph, belonging to Capt. Mills, of Mt. Carmel, went over the dam at the Rapids, two or three days ago, and was very badly wrecked among the rocks.

DECISION.—In the Superior Court of Cincinnati the suit of Daniel Collier against Shirley & Woolfolk for $9,000 damages, has been decided in favor of the defendants. As government agents in 1862, they had taken two large barges of complainant into the service of the government temporarily, hence the suit for the use of said barges, which complainant knew were taken for the government exclusively.

We learn that fuel for steamboats along the Lower Mississippi is very scarce, and wood sells as high as $8 to $10 per cord.

EVANSVILLE, Dec. 1—STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—The steamer Juno arrived here yesterday from Pittsburgh, for Nashville, and from her officers we learn that she exploded one of her boilers on Tuesday night, just above Grandview, killing one fireman named Anthony Davidson, of McConnelsville, Pa., and severely, perhaps fatally, scalding another fireman named George Burcher, whose wife resides in Ironton, Ohio.

The Juno has two boilers, one on each side of the boat, entirely independent of each other, and, as far as we could learn, while under way the assistant engineer, or "striker," without the knowledge of the chief engineer, closed the throttle-valve of one engine to pack a joint, by causing the explosion.

The boiler collapsed at both ends, and the fireman in front of the boiler was blown through a pile of coal, but lived for several hours.

Burcher, the other fireman, was in the after part of the boat, off watch, sitting by the stove, and is terribly scalded on his arms and body. He immediately jumped overboard, but was rescued and all the remedies at hand applied to alleviate his suffering. He was comfortable and may recover.

There were a few soldiers on the boat, one of whom was severely scalded, and two or three others slightly.

The Juno came down here from the scene of the disaster on one wheel.—[*Journal.*

NASHVILLE.—The *Dispatch*, of Friday, says: The Cumberland continues to rise, with 7 feet of water on Harpeth shoals. Only one boat reported herself yesterday, the Imperial which arrived and departed again. The Norman D. H. Blunk, and T. J. McCombs will leave for Louisville this afternoon.

ST. LOUIS.—Saturday's *Democrat*, says: There river was falling slowly yesterday. There is only four and a half feet of water to Cairo. The rise in the upper Missouri, leaves, perhaps, three feet nine inches below Keokuk. The Illinois, reported rising rapidly at Peoria, has, no doubt four feet on Six mile island, and six feet above. We hear of no rise yet in the Missouri. There is twenty-eight inches of water at widow Massie's and three feet from there to Lexington. Among the arrivals are the Tiber, from White river. The Camelia will probably arrive from below to-day. She will load for Cincinnati and Pittsburgh. The Iowa is at the Government warehouses, probably to load for Nashville. Captain Dunlap is loading the Kenton for Pittsburgh to leave to-day. The Centralia, is, we believe, taking on New Orleans freight for Cairo. The Niagara leaves for New Orleans to-morrow.

NEW ORLEANS, 24th ult.—The weather yesterday was a little milder than Tuesday, yet pretty cold.

Business on the levee yesterday was more active than on the previous day. The arrival of the steamers Luminary, from St. Louis, and Peytona, from Cincinnati, stirred up things in general. Both packets brought in good paying trips.

The departures were the Nannie Byers, for Cincinnati; the Star, for Baton Rouge, and the Arizona, for the Lower Coast. The Bart Able laid over until to-day.

NOTICE—STEAMBOAT MEN—We are now manufacturing a very superior article of
CORK LIFE PRESERVERS.
We would respectfully call your attention to ours before purchasing elsewhere. We will guarantee them to pass inspection.
ARMSTRONG, BRO. & CO.,
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Wheeling and Parkersburg Packets.

For Beaver, Wellsville, Steubenville, and Wheeling. Connecting with Parkersburg, Marietta and Bull Creek.
THE fine Passenger Steamer MINERVA, JOHN GORDON, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 12 m.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
JAMES COLLINS & CO., Agents,
Wharf-boat below Monongahela Bridge.

Pittsburgh and Zanesville Packet Line.

FOR WHEELING, MARIETTA AND ZANESVILLE.
The splendid passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, J. R. STULL, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every Tuesday, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every Friday, at 8 o'clock, a. m. The new steamer JULIA, WM. COULSON, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every Saturday, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every Tuesday, at 8 o'clock, a. m.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agent, Pittsburgh.
au30 H. S. PIERCE & CO., Agents, Zanesville, O.

PORTSMOUTH PACKET.

For Marietta, Parkersburg, Big Sandy, Ironton, Gallipolis and Portsmouth.
EVERY MONDAY, at 10 a. m. The splendid passenger steamer GOLDEN ERA, WASH. H. KERR Commander, W. H. BRYAN, Clerk, will hereafter leave Pittsburgh every MONDAY, at 10 a. m., and Portsmouth every FRIDAY NOON. Will connect every FRIDAY with the BOSTONA No. 3, for Cincinnati. The GOLDEN ERA will receipt freight through to Cincinnati.
For freight or passage apply on board. no2

Cairo and St. Louis Packets.

For Evansville and Nashville.
ON THIS DAY, Dec. 6th, at 4 p. m. The splendid passenger steamer LENI LEOTI, SHEPHERD, Commander, will leave as announced above.
For freight or passage apply on board, or to
J. D. COLLINGWOOD, or
1 JOHN FLACK, Agents.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.
ON THIS DAY, Dec. 6th at 4 p. m. The fine passenger steamer NEVADA, W. F. EVANS, Commander, will leave as announced above.
For freight or passage apply on board or to
J. D. COLLINGWOOD, or
28 JOHN FLACK, Agents.

Cincinnati and Louisville.

For Cincinnati.
ON THIS DAY, Dec. 6th at 4 p. m. The splendid side-wheel passenger steamer ROWENA, C. A. DRAVO, Commander. ANDREW ROBINSON, Clerk, will leave as announced above.
For freight or passage apply on board. 3

For Cincinnati and Louisville.
ON WEDNESDAY, Dec. 7, at 4 p. m. The fine passenger steamer ONTARIO, HARTON Commander, will leave as announced above.
For freight or passage apply on board, or to
JOHN FLACK, or
5 J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

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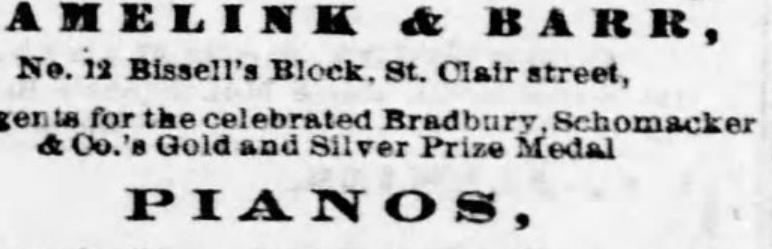

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The undersigned have this day formed a Co-Partnership for the transaction of a General Commission and Merchandise Brokerage business.
HENRY C. LIPPINCOTT,
H. C. FRY,
WM. H. LIPPINCOTT.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 28, 1864.

LIPPINCOTT, FRY & CO.,
Commission Merchants and Merchandize Brokers.
Dealers in Refined and Crude Oils, and Oil Stocks. Oils bought and sold for Eastern and Western markets. Especial attention given to consignments of Crude Oil.
Office, No. 122 First street, (in Nimick & Co.'s warehouse), Pittsburgh, Pa. no29-2w

NOTICE.
We have this day sold to Messrs. PAINTER, LAUFFER & CO. our entire coal business in both cities, and would cheerfully recommend them to our customers and the public generally, and ask the continuance of their patronage in their behalf. The above sale to take effect on December 1st inst.
no28-tf W. M. & H. CLANEY.

TAKE NOTICE.
All persons having claims against us are respectfully requested to present them for payment, and all persons knowing themselves indebted to us are requested to call and settle, on or before December 15th, as all accounts remaining unsettled at that time will be placed in the hands of the proper officer for collection.
no28-tf. W. M. & H. CLANEY.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
The Partnership heretofore existing between J. C. and W. H. LIPPINCOTT is dissolved by mutual consent, to date from November 22d, 1864.
J. C. LIPPINCOTT,
W. H. LIPPINCOTT.
All claims against the late firm, and all accounts due it, will be settled by J. C. LIPPINCOTT.
Having purchased the interest of W. H. Lippincott, in the Grocery business, I would solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to the late firm.
J. C. LIPPINCOTT.
In retiring from the late firm I would cheerfully recommend my successor to my friends and the public generally. W. H. LIPPINCOTT.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 28, 1864. no29-1w

GAS STOVES.
Just received a new supply of GAS-HEATING STOVES, for heating offices, parlors, bath rooms and bed chambers. Also, GAS STOVES, for cooking, baking, and heating smoothing irons. These stoves can be used in rooms where there are no fire-places or flues, and are warranted to give entire satisfaction.
For sale at the House Furnishing Store of
BARNDOLLAR & PRICE,
no21-1m No. 124 Wood street.

ESTABLISHED 1835.
MONONGAHELA PLANING MILL
AND LUMBER YARDS.
Having all modern improvements in Wood Working Machinery, and Oliver's Patent Drying Kiln. We have the best facilities for furnishing every description of manufactured Lumber, thoroughly seasoned.
MILLINGAR & BIDWELL.
Street Cars pass the Mill every seven minutes.
Orders may be left in our box Monongahela Bridge.
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REVOLVERS.
A large stock of all kinds on hand and for sale by
no9 JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood street.

OIL COMPANIES.

FREW OIL COMPANY.
CAPITAL $200,000.
WORKING CAPITAL $25,000.
SHARES $1 EACH.
The above Oil Company is to be organized under the Act of General Assembly, of the State of Pennsylvania, approved July 18th, 1863, with a
Capital of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars,
in Shares of the par value of One Dollar each. Twenty-five Thousand Dollars to be applied as working Capital, and One Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars to be appropriated to the purchase of the following property, viz:
1,028 Acres in Fee Simple,
situated one mile South of the Tionesta river, eighteen miles from its mouth, and nine miles from Sheffield Station on the Sunbury and Erie Railroad 24 miles due East of Oil City.
Blue Jay Creek runs through the property for one mile, and on each bank there are fine sites for Wells the entire distance.
THE WATER POWER
on the Creek can be used for boring as many wells as the Company may wish to put down (thus saving fuel, engines, &c.). The territory of this Company will be fully developed as quick as the Company organizes. There is now a
75 Barrel Well
in operation at Ballstown, about seven miles below Tionesta, and two Wells are being bored at Foxburg, at the mouth of Blue Jay, about three-quarters of a mile from this property, with the best of Oil indications from which good Wells are confidently expected. The land is covered with good heavy timber, and
600 Acres is level, and a good 7 feet vein of Coal
said to be under the entire tract.
SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS
are now open for all who wish to invest, at the office of
LIPPINCOTT, FRY & CO.,
No. 122 First street,
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HICKORY FARM
OIL COMPANY.
Incorporated under the General Laws of the State of New York, for the Formation of Corporations for Manufacturing, Mining, Mechanical, or Chemical Purposes.
CAPITAL, - - - - - $500,000,
100,000 Shares of $5,00.
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Christopher Tyler, Christopher Tyler, New York.
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John V. Clarke, late Dater, Clarke & Co., New York.
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FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS
In Cash has been provided for by the Company, and the development of the property will be prosecuted with the greatest vigor. A liberal number of shares of the Capital Stock can now be had at par, on application to
HENRY HOLDSHIP, Esq.,
At the office of THOMAS M. HOWE, Esq., 35 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, where maps, etc., etc., can be seen, and any further information desired can be obtained.
REFERENCES.—Hon. THOMAS M. HOWE, Dr. C. G. HUSSEY, I. M. PENNOCK and JOHN FLEMING.
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For sale, Oil Lands in fee. Lease and interest in Oil Wells in the best locations in the oil region, at the lowest cash price. Persons desiring to purchase to form companies, or for themselves, will save a large per centage by applying in person, or by letter, to us. Information in regard to Oil Territory given without charge. HULL, PLATT & CO.,
de5-12t Oil City, Pa.

LINDEN OIL COMPANY
CAPITAL, $200,000. SHARES, $5 00.
This Company has declared a dividend of One Per Cent., on its capital, for the month of November, payable at the office of J. K. MORANGE,
No. 107 Fourth street.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 5, 1864. de5-6t

PITTSBURGH, November 30, 1864.
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE
That the first meeting of the corporation to be called "THE UNION LUBRIC OIL COMPANY," will be held on WEDNESDAY December 21st, 1864, at the office of KING & PENNOCK, No. 79 Wood street, in the City of Pittsburgh, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of organization and adoption of By Laws, election of officers, &c., and for the purposes authorized, and more particularly specified in an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act Relating to Corporations for Mechanical, Manufacturing, Mining and Quarrying Purposes," approved the eighteenth day of July A. D. 1863.
WM. MUSSLER,
no30-3w Treasurer Pro Tem.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1st, 1864.
THE DIRECTORS OF THE TARR, STORY AND CHERRY RUN OIL CO., have this day declared a Dividend of TWO PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable to Stockholders on or after the 10th inst., at the office of R. J. Thomas, Treasurer, 187 Liberty street.
de1-9t J. L. MARSHALL, Secretary.

CHERRY RUN & PITT HOLE PETROLEUM COMPANY.
NOTICE OF ELECTION.
Subscribers to the Stock of the Cherry Run and Pitt Hole Petroleum Company are hereby notified to attend a meeting of the Stockholders of said Company, which will be held for the purpose of organization, election of President, Directors and other officers, &c., at the office of Capt. J. F. STOCKDALE, No. 2, Duquesne Way. Meeting to be held Monday, December 19th, at 3 o'clock p. m. H. McKELVEY,
no28-3t President pro tem.

MONONGAHELA PIONEER OIL COMPANY.
A meeting of said Company will be held on the 20th of December, 1864, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in the usual place, for the purpose of organizing themselves into a joint stock company, according to an Act of the Assembly approved July 18th, 1863.
E. GLEASON.
Allegheny, Nov. 28, 1864. no29-3w

OIL ENGINES.
We are prepared to furnish Oil Well Engines on the very shortest notice, having them on hand and finishing all the time, of a superior quality, and in sizes to suit purchasers. NUTTALL & KIRKPATRICK,
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PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD.
This great line traverses the northern and northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie.
It has been leased by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and is operated by them.
Its entire length was opened for passenger and freight business October 17, 1864.
Time of Passenger Trains at Harrisburg,
Leave Eastward.
Mail Train 11:40 p. m.
Elmira Express Train 2:50 a. m.
Williamsport Accommodation 1:30 p. m.
Leave Westward.
Mail Train 12:35 a. m.
Elmira Express Train 1:30 a. m.
Williamsport Accommodation 1:45 p. m.
Passenger Cars run through on Mail trains without change both ways between Philadelphia and Erie, and Baltimore and Erie.
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H. A. HUSTON, General Freight Agent, Philadelphia.
H. W. GWINNER, General Ticket Agent, Philadelphia.
JOS. D. POTTS, General Manager, Williamsport.
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FOR THROUGH FREIGHTS TO AND FROM ALL
se7-1y POINTS WEST OF PITTSBURGH.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.—
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
On and after MONDAY, Nov. 14, 1864, the trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:
	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives at Pittsburgh.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:35 a. m.	6:00 p. m.
Express "	3:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.
First McKeesport Accommod'n	11:00 a. m.	6:00 a. m.
Second "	6:15 p. m.	2:05 p. m.
First Braddock's "	7:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
Second "	4:15 p. m.	5:40 p. m.
Sunday Church Train to and from McKeesport	1:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.
For tickets, apply to GEORGE BOYLTON, Agent.
ap30 W. B. STOUT, Superintendent.

1864 WINTER ARRANGEMENT 1865
PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.
TEN DAILY TRAINS.
On and after Monday, October 31st, 1864, trains will leave the depot, corner of Liberty and Grant streets, as follows:
FAST MAIL daily, except Sunday, at 2:50 a. m., stopping at principal stations, and making direct connections at Harrisburg with trains for New York, Baltimore and Washington, and at Philadelphia, for New York, Boston and intermediate points.
HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION, daily, except Sunday, at 4.20 a. m. stopping at all regular stations between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg, and making close connection with trains on Indiana Branch, West Pennsylvania R. R., Ebensburg and Cresson R. R. and Hollidaysburg Branch.
PITTSBURGH & ERIE EXPRESS, daily, except Sunday, at 12:30 P. M., stopping at nearly all the stations between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, and making connections with trains on the Ebensburg and Cresson R. R., Hollidaysburgh Branch R. R., Tyrone and Clearfield and Bald Eagle Valley Branches.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION, daily, except Sunday, at 3:00 p. m., stopping at regular stations between Pittsburgh and Johnstown, and connecting at Blairsville Intersection, with trains on the Indiana Branch and West Pennsylvania R. R.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS, daily, at 4:25 P. M., stopping only at Latrobe, Conemaugh, Gallitzin, Altoona, Huntingdon, Lewistown, Mifflin, Newport, Marysville, Harrisburg, Lancaster and Downington. At Harrisburg direct connections are made for Baltimore, Washington and New York; at Philadelphia, for New York, Boston and intermediate points. Sleeping cars run through on this train from Pittsburgh to Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, by the Allentown route.
FAST LINE daily, except Sunday, at 9:10 p. m., stopping only at Conemaugh, Gallitzin, Altoona, Huntingdon, Lewistown, Mifflin, Newport, Marysville, Harrisburg, Middletown, Elizabethtown, Mt. Joy, Landisville, Lancaster, and Downingtown. At Harrisburg connections are made for New York, Baltimore and Washington. At Philadelphia for New York, Boston and intermediate points.
FIRST ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily, except Sunday, at 6:30 a. m.
SECOND ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily except Sunday, at 11:[illegible] a. m.
THIRD ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station daily, except Sunday, at 3:40 p. m.
FOURTH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for Wall's Station, daily, except Sunday, at 6:[illegible] p. m.
The CHURCH TRAIN leaves Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:45 p. m.
Returning Trains Arrive in Pittsburg as Follows:
Pittsburgh and Erie Express 12:30 p. m.
Baltimore Express 1:35 p. m.
Philadelphia Express 2:30 p. m.
Fast Mail [illegible] p. m.
Fast Line 1:20 a. m.
Johnstown Accommodation 10:1 a. m.
First Wall's Station Accommodation 6:20 a. m.
Second Wall's Station Accommodation 9:0 a. m.
Third Wall's Station Accommodation 2:20 p. m.
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NOTICE.—In case of loss the Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only, and for an amount not exceeding $100.
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Leave Pitts.	For Chicago.	For Clev'd.	For Wheel'g.
Express	2:10 a. m.	2:10 a. m.	2:10 a. m.
Express	2:00 p. m.	2:45 p. m.	2:45 p. m.
Express	3:00 p. m.		
Mail	6:30 a. m.		6:10 a. m.
For New Castle and Erie 5:50 a. m.
Returning, Arrive in Pittsburgh:
P., F. W. & C. R. W. 2:20 a. m. 3:20 p. m. 5:45 p. m. 7:50 p. m. 8:30 p. m. C. & P. R. R. 2:10 a. m. 3:45 p. m. 3:30 p. m.
Accommodation Trains Leave Allegheny
For N. Brighton	For N. Castle.	For Steubenville.
9:00 a. m.	3:50 p. m.	3:00 p. m.
12:00 m.		
4:30 p. m.		
5: 0 p. m.		
Returning, Arrive in Allegheny.
P. F. W. & C. R. W. 7:30 a. m. 8:30 a. m. 2:40 p. m. 4:45 p. m.
C. & P. R. R. 10:00 a. m.
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